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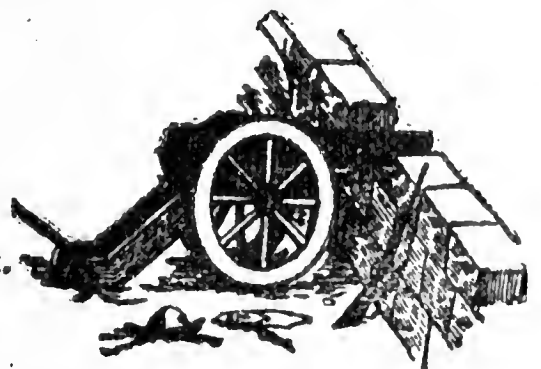
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Preface.

In the following pages there is a record of the Two Hundred and Third Regiment, New York Volunteer Infantry, which tells the story of its organization, its service, and its muster out, facts of interest of those who served with the regiment, and important as part of the military history of the State and of the War.

The 203rd had the trying experience of continuous camp life, unbroken by the interest and excitement of active campaigning. The one thing which the American Volunteer wants to do when he gets a gun in his hands, is to fight, and this spirit often resents the delays which are absolutely necessary to prepare a force for its most important work. It is doubtful if a regiment's discipline—that cornerstone of soldierly merit—could be put to a severer test than spending a year in camp, while other regiments are at the front. Digging sinks and ditches, policing camp, burning refuse, even drilling and marching, important as they all are, do not realize the young soldier's idea of war, to say nothing of his dream of glory. It is no light praise to say that the officers and men of the 203d, through the long and sometimes tedious months, worked honestly and persistently, and doggedly, when not cheerfully, to bring the regiment up to the high standards of the United States service.

All cherished until the last a hope that they would see some active service, and until the last all strove to make the regiment so efficient that it could perform with credit any duty to which it might be assigned.

In its Colonel the regiment had an able officer, who brought to it the best spirit of the army, and the officers as a body did their work faithfully in perfecting the regiment and in caring for the men.

The enlisted men represented many different occupations and many different stations in life; all in all the regiment was probably as thorough a type of a volunteer regiment as

any in the service. It improved and developed steadily, and it was no partial judgment which made all its members proud of it, but with no false pride, or useless assertion of superiority over others.

It was a bitter disappointment to the regiment that it did not have a chance to prove its worth by active service, but the keenness of that feeling was softened by the knowledge that it tried to do the duty to which it was ordered in a way worthy of the uniform which it wore.

A large proportion of the officers and many of the men had served in the National Guard, and in our regiment, as in all the others from New York, this service proved to be of value. Under the wise guidance of New York's present Governor, and of the Major General commanding the forces, the future training of the Guard will be such as to still better fit it to enter upon the actual duties of a soldier in the field.

This is not the place to discuss the methods of organizing a reserve for our army, but it may not be out of place to express the hope that some system will eventually be adopted which will make our Volunteer Regiments less evanescent than the three which last went out from this State; and that for the benefit of our military service there will be something more than a few printed pages to perpetuate the spirit, the traditions and the esprit de corps of such regiments as the 203d.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Alfred Sanger". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Alfred" written in a larger, more prominent script than the last name "Sanger".

Late Lieut.-Colonel, 203d Regt., N. Y. V. I.
Sangerfield, N. Y.

October 27th, 1899.



James Sanger

Late Lieut.-Colonel, 203d Regt., N. Y. V. I.

Chapter I.

Introductory.

It is not the purpose of this work to review all the events leading up to the declaration of war between the United States and Spain; mention, however, will be made of some of the more important occurrences which eventually necessitated the organization of the army of which the Two Hundred and Third Regiment, Infantry, New York Volunteers, formed a part.

For over two years the Spaniards in their ineffectual attempt to subdue the people of Cuba, utterly disregarded the rules of civilized warfare and indulged in cruel and inhumane practices which aroused the sympathy and provoked the indignation of the people of the United States.

Conditions continued to grow worse and thousands of women and children—Spanish prisoners—were dying of starvation within the limits of the City of Havana; riots were of daily occurrence and the lives and property of American citizens were in jeopardy.

When these facts were officially reported by Consul General Lee, then stationed at Havana, a war vessel was ordered there to protect the rights of our people.

The United States battleship *Maine* arrived in Havana harbor on the 25th day of January, 1898, where it remained at anchor until the evening of the 15th of February, when a terrific explosion occurred which completely wrecked the vessel and caused the death of two officers and two hundred and fifty-eight members of the crew.

On the 17th of February, Captain, now Admiral, William T. Sampson, Captain F. E. Chadwick, of the *New York*; Lieutenant Commander W. P. Porter, of the *New York*, and Lieutenant Commander A. Marix, of the *Vermont*, were ap-

pointed a Board of Inquiry to discover if possible the cause of this disaster.

After examining a large number of witnesses they reported on March 22nd, that “in the opinion of Court the Maine was destroyed by the explosion of a sub-marine mine.”

Public opinion in the United States charged this dastardly act to some officer or servant of Spain, though the report of the Board of Inquiry did not justify any such conclusion.

On March 25th, the House of Representatives by unanimous vote passed a bill appropriating \$50,000,000 to be placed at the disposal of the President for National Defence, and the next day the Senate passed the same measure by a unanimous vote.

On the 11th of April, President McKinley sent his message to Congress, advising armed intervention in Cuba, and on April 19th Congress demanded that “Spain relinquish its authority in the Island of Cuba.”

Senor Polo y Bernabe, the Spanish Minister at Washington, was given his passports on April 20, and on the following day Hon. Stewart L. Woodford, American Minister to Spain, was given his passports at Madrid, and war was officially begun between the two nations.

On April 23rd, 1898, the President of the United States issued a call for 125,000 volunteers, to be furnished by the States of the Union.

After reciting the provisions of the joint Congressional resolution of April 22d, the proclamation continues: “Now, therefore, I, William McKinley, President of the United States, by virtue of the power vested in me by the Constitution and the laws, and deeming sufficient occasion to exist, have thought fit to call for and hereby do call for volunteers, to the aggregate number of 125,000, in order to carry into effect the purpose of said resolution; the same to be apportioned as far as practicable among the several States and Territories and the District of Columbia, according to population, and to serve for two years unless sooner dis-

charged. The details for this object will be immediately communicated to the proper authorities through the War Department."

On April 25th the following telegram was received by the Governor of the State of New York from the Secretary of War:

"The number of troops from your State, under the call of the President, dated April 23, 1898, will be twelve regiments of infantry and two troops of cavalry. It is the wish of the President that the regiments of the National Guard or State Militia be used as far as their numbers will permit, for the reason that they are armed, equipped and drilled. Please wire as early as possible what equipments, ammunition, arms, blankets, tents, etc., you have and what additional you will require. Please also state when troops will be ready for muster into United States service. Details to follow by mail."

This telegram was followed by a letter of even date:
To the Governor of New York,

Sir:—Under the Act of Congress "to provide for temporarily increasing the military establishment of the United States in time of war, and for other purposes," approved April 22, 1898, and call for 125,000 volunteers, by direction of the President, I have the honor to request you to provide from your State the quota of volunteers as follows:

Twelve regiments infantry, two troops cavalry, to serve in the arms of service designated for the period of two years, unless sooner discharged. Attached will be found a statement showing the organization for artillery, cavalry and infantry.

Please cause the Adjutant General of the Army to be informed of the time your quota will be at its rendezvous, as it will be met as soon as practicable thereafter by an officer to muster it into the service and pay of the United States. The mustering officer will be instructed to receive no man under the rank of commissioned officer who is in years over forty-five or under eighteen, or who is not in physical strength and vigor. As soon as mustered into the United States service, it is the intention that troops from your State shall be assembled with others for instruction and service under the direction of the Major General commanding the

army, at some point or points to be designated hereafter. It is desired, for reasons stated in telegram of this date, that, as far as practicable, the National Guard be given preference.

The rendezvous for your State will be Peekskill. If, for any cause, it is found necessary to change point of concentration, your recommendation is requested.

Bands may be organized from the strength of regiments as in the regular army, viz: See paragraph 245, Army Regulations, 1895.

Very respectfully,

R. A. ALGER,

Secretary of War.

Based upon the information received from the Major-General commanding the National Guard and the reports of the respective commanding officers of organizations, General Order No. 8, was issued on April 27, 1898, of which the first paragraph was as follows:

“The President of the United States having called on this State for twelve regiments of infantry and two troops of cavalry, and requested that as far as practicable the National Guard be given the preference, the following organizations are selected to enter the service of the United States as volunteer regiments for a service of two years unless sooner discharged: Of the First Brigade, the Ninth and Twelfth Regiments; of the Second Brigade, the Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Forty-seventh Regiments; of the Third Brigade, two regiments of the organizations of the brigade; of the Fourth Brigade, the Sixty-fifth Regiment, and one regiment of the separate companies of the brigade; of the Fifth Brigade, the Eighth, Sixty-ninth and Seventy-first regiments. The two troops of cavalry will be furnished, one by Squadron A, the second by Troop C.”

Three of these regiments were made up of separate companies, selected from different parts of the State, and after their organization there remained in the State service the following ten separate companies:

Fourth, Yonkers; Tenth, Newburgh; Eleventh, Mt. Vernon; Sixteenth, Catskill; Seventeenth, Flushing; Twenty-third, Hudson; Twenty-seventh, Malone; Twenty-eighth,

Utica; Thirty-ninth, Watertown, and the Fortieth, of Ogdensburgh.

Many members of these companies were intensely disappointed that they were not selected for the volunteer forces as they had expressed their willingness to enter the service of the United States, and a large number of those men secured transfers to organizations that had been selected for service in the volunteer army.

On April 28th, orders were issued directing the organization of National Guard regiments and companies to replace those which entered the volunteer service.

Enlistments in both the original and new companies were prompted by the assurance that the members of those organizations would have the first opportunity of volunteering for service in the United States army should a second call be made for volunteers, and in a short time the National Guard of the State of New York had almost attained its original numerical strength.

Chapter II.

Organization.

On the 25th of May, the President issued a call for 75,000 additional volunteers, and again requested that preference be given to the members of the National Guard. Of this number New York State furnished 7,958 officers and enlisted men, 3,772 of whom went to recruit to the maximum strength the organizations already in the service.

On June 27th, orders were issued directing the formation of three regiments of infantry, one of which was to be known as the Two Hundred and Third Regiment, Infantry, New York Volunteers. The same order directed that two battalions of this regiment be recruited at the State Armory at Syracuse and one battalion at the Twelfth Regiment Armory in New York City.

On the same day the commanding officers of the ten original separate companies were invited by the Commander-in-Chief to "nominate officers or men of their respective commands to be commissioned in the new regiments under the second call; one each for Captain, First and Second Lieutenants."

In answer to this invitation the officers addressed invariably forwarded their own names and those of their subordinate officers or non-commissioned officers in line of promotion.

Captain Walter S. Schuyler, Fifth United States Cavalry, was commissioned Colonel of Volunteers and assigned to the command of the Two Hundred and Third Regiment.

On June 25th, Mr. Norton Chase, formerly Major, Tenth Battalion, was appointed Quartermaster, and on June 30th assigned to this regiment.

On the same day Dr. Burton S. Booth, late Assistant Surgeon, Sixth Separate Company; Dr. William A. Burgess,

Sixteenth Battalion, and Dr. Abram L. Haynes, were appointed Surgeon and Assistant Surgeon respectively; they were assigned to the Two Hundred and Third Regiment on June 30th.

William Cary Sanger, Colonel and Assistant Chief of Artillery, N. G. S. N. Y., was commissioned Lieutenant Colonel; Lewis E. Goodier, Captain Company E, First Regiment, N. Y. V. I., and John McClintock, Major 171st Regiment, N. G. N. Y., were appointed Majors. Albert Dod Minor, Captain 131st Separate Company, N. G. N. Y., was appointed Chaplain, and Henry S. Clark, Colonel and Assistant Adjutant General, First Brigade, N. G. N. Y., was commissioned First Lieutenant and Adjutant.

On July 11th, pursuant to orders previously received, the volunteers from the Sixteenth, Twenty-third, Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth, Thirty-ninth and Fortieth Separate Companies left their home stations for Syracuse, where they arrived the same day.

The commanding officers of the new separate companies also received orders to forward all volunteers from their respective commands to the nearest recruiting station. Pursuant to the provisions of these orders the volunteers from the One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth Separate Companies were sent to New York City, while the volunteers from the new companies in the vicinity of Syracuse were sent to that place.

On July 12, the volunteers from the Fourth, Tenth, Eleventh and Seventeenth Separate Companies left their home stations for New York, where they arrived the same day and proceeded directly to the Twelfth Regiment Armory.

The examination of the recruits was begun at once by the regimental surgeons. Surgeon Booth conducted the examinations at New York City, while Assistant Surgeons Burgess and Haynes looked after the applicants at Syracuse.

The place of recruiting in New York City was changed from the Twelfth Regiment Armory to the Twenty-second Regiment Armory, as the former place was occupied by the

recruiting officers of the Two Hundred and First Regiment.

On July 13, the commanding officer, whose recruiting was limited heretofore to members of the National Guard organization, received authority to recruit civilians.

On July 15, Company A was mustered into the United States service at Syracuse; Company B was mustered in at the Twenty-second Regiment Armory, New York City, and Companies C, E and G were mustered in at Syracuse on July 19. On July 20, Companies I and K were mustered in at Syracuse, and Companies D and F were mustered in at New York City on July 21st. On July 22d, Company L was mustered in at Syracuse, and Company H was mustered in at New York City on July 23d. Company M was mustered in at Syracuse on July 24th, thus completing the regiment.

Lieutenant Smith, of the Second United States Cavalry, was detailed as mustering officer at Syracuse, and Lieutenant Irwin, of the Fifth United States Artillery, was mustering officer at New York City.

Company A was composed of men from Syracuse, N. Y., and vicinity with the One Hundred and Forty-first Separate Company as a nucleus.

The three officers and a large number of the enlisted men of B Company were members of the Fourth Separate Company, and the balance of the men were from Yonkers, N. Y., and vicinity.

The One Hundred and Forty-sixth Separate Company of Amsterdam, N. Y., was the nucleus about which Company C was formed, and the majority of the men were residents of Montgomery County.

Three officers and forty-two men of the Tenth Separate Company of Newburgh; twelve men of the 105th Separate Company of Newburgh, and six men of the 124th Separate Company of Middletown, N. Y., became members of D Company, and the balance of the men were enrolled from New York City.

Company E was composed of men from Watertown, N. Y., and vicinity; the three officers and a large number of the

enlisted men being members of the Thirty-ninth Separate Company of that place.

All of the officers and a majority of the enlisted men of F Company were members of the Seventeenth Separate Company of Flushing, N. Y., and the balance of the men were enrolled at New York City.

The Twenty-eighth Separate Company, of Utica, N. Y., furnished the officers and the majority of the men for G Company, and the balance of the men were recruited from Oneida County.

Odgensburg and vicinity was represented in H Company by officers and men from the Fortieth Separate Company. Part of the company was recruited at Syracuse and the balance at New York City.

The three officers and twenty-three men of I Company were members of the Twenty-third Separate Company of Hudson, and the remainder of the company was made up of men from Columbia County.

The Sixteenth Separate Company of Catskill furnished the nucleus of K Company, the majority of the men being enrolled from Syracuse, N. Y.

Company L was the only company in the regiment that did not have a National Guard company as a basis. The company was made up of men from Syracuse, N. Y.

Franklin County furnished a number of the men of M company, the officers and a number of the enlisted men being members of the Twenty-seventh Separate Company of Malone, N. Y. The rolls of this company were completed at Syracuse, N. Y.

The original officers of the regiment and the companies composing it were as follows:

Colonel, Walter S. Schuyler, Captain Fifth U. S. Cavalry.

Lieutenant-Colonel, William Cary Sanger, Colonel and Assistant Chief of Artillery, N. G. S. N. Y.

Major, Lewis E. Goodier, Captain Company E First Regiment, N. Y. V. I.

Major, John McClintock, Major 171st Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y.

Surgeon, Burton S. Booth, formerly First Lieutenant and Assistant Surgeon, Sixth Separate Company, N. G. S. N. Y.

Assistant Surgeon, William A. Burgess, Captain and Assistant Surgeon Sixteenth Battalion, N. G. S. N. Y.

Assistant Surgeon, Dr. Abram L. Haynes.

Chaplain, Albert Dod Minor, Captain 131st Separate Company, N. G. S. N. Y.

Adjutant, Henry S. Clark, Colonel and Assistant Adjutant General First Brigade, N. G. S. N. Y.

Quartermaster, Norton Chase, formerly Major Tenth Battalion, N. G. S. N. Y.

Company A.

Captain, John B. Tuck, First Lieutenant 141st Separate Company; First Lieutenant, George L. Baldwin; Second Lieutenant, Alexander D. Jenney.

Company B.

Captain, John I. Pruyn, Captain 4th Separate Company; First Lieutenant, Charles F. Nugent, First Lieutenant 4th Separate Company; Second Lieutenant, John W. Arbuckle, 4th Separate Company.

Company C.

Captain, Edward P. White, Captain 146th Separate Company; First Lieutenant, Frank B. Edwards, Adjutant Second Battalion, N. G. S. N. Y.; Second Lieutenant, John J. Callanan, private First Regiment, N. Y. V. I.

Company D.

Captain, William G. Hunter, Captain 10th Separate Company; First Lieutenant, Stephen H. Mould, First Lieutenant

10th Separate Company; Second Lieutenant, Arthur G. Ackert, Sergeant-Major Twelfth Battalion, N. G. S. N. Y.

Company E.

Captain, James S. Boyer, Captain 39th Separate Company; First Lieutenant, Charles R. Murray, First Lieutenant 39th Separate Company; Second Lieutenant, George W. Clodwick, Second Lieutenant 39th Separate Company.

Company F.

Captain, John F. Klein, Captain 17th Separate Company; First Lieutenant, George T. G. Saxton, 17th Separate Company; Second Lieutenant, Thomas J. Dooley, Second Lieutenant 17th Separate Company.

Company G.

Captain, Charles S. Hosburgh, Captain 28th Separate Company; First Lieutenant, William H. Remmer, 28th Separate Company; Second Lieutenant, George J. Winslow, First Lieutenant 28th Separate Company.

Company H.

Captain, Martin Bovard, First Lieutenant 40th Separate Company; First Lieutenant, Dennis B. Lucey, Quartermaster Seventeenth Battalion, N. G. S. N. Y.; Second Lieutenant, ————.

Company I.

Captain, Richard C. Payne, Captain 23rd Separate Company; First Lieutenant, Solomon Avery, Jr., First Lieutenant 23rd Separate Company; Second Lieutenant, Louis H. Payne, Second Lieutenant 23rd Separate Company.

Company K.

Captain, William W. Bennett, Captain 16th Separate Company; First Lieutenant, James G. Hannah, First Lieu-

tenant 16th Separate Company; Second Lieutenant, Charles A. Vrooman, Commissary Sergeant Twelfth Battalion, N. G. S. N. Y.

Company L.

Captain, George N. Cheney; First Lieutenant, Dexter Sturgess, private Third Regiment, N. Y. V. I.; Second Lieutenant, Austin J. McMahon, Second Lieutenant 141st Separate Company.

Company M.

Captain, James A. Gray, Captain 27th Separate Company; First Lieutenant, Percival F. Dalphin, Assistant Surgeon 27th Separate Company; Second Lieutenant, Michael J. Collins, 27th Separate Company.



COL. GOODIER.



MAJ. MCCLINTOCK.



MAJ. BOYER.

Chapter III.

Camp Black.

Each company as soon as mustered into the United States service, proceeded to Camp Black, Hempstead, L. I., the previously designated rendezvous of the regiment.

A complete camp outfit for cooking was furnished to each company on their arrival at camp and five days' field rations issued by the Post Commissary. Cooks were detailed by the commanding officer of each company and the struggle with the problem of how to best prepare and serve army rations was begun at once.

Quartermaster Chase, who preceded the regiment to camp, furnished every man with a blanket, poncho, and mess-kit.

Colonel Schuyler arrived on July 25, and assumed command of the camp. On the same day Sergeant Frank H. Wade, of A Company, was detailed as Acting Sergeant-Major, which position he held until August 13.

On July 26, Principal Musician Harry Alden was appointed Chief Musician; Musicians Hugh Cantwell, of C Company, and Ernest Stamm, of L Company, were appointed Principal Musicians, and Corporal Paul H. Whitmarsh, of K Company, and private Herbert H. Ellis, of D. Company, were appointed Hospital Stewards.

As soon as practicable the men were supplied with uniforms, and being only the strong and able-bodied, the result of the severe physical examination to which the recruits were subjected, they presented a thoroughly military appearance.

A regimental officers' mess was at once established and placed under the direct supervision of Captain Klien of F Company.

During the first few days in camp there was almost incessant rain, and the tents were without board floors and the ground not thoroughly drained. This condition did not continue for any length of time, however, as a thorough system of drainage was established and the men soon learned to arrange their tents comfortably with the aid of the straw furnished by the Quartermaster.

Regular drills were at once established and the progress made in this line was both rapid and creditable. This proficiency was due in a great measure to the fact that both officers and men were enthusiastic and eager to perfect the regiment; also to the fact that nearly all the officers and non-commissioned officers and not a few of the men had previously seen considerable service in the National Guard.

On July 26, Private Guy E. Wright of L Company was transferred to A Company, and on the following day Private William G. Wallenbeck of A Company was transferred to L Company.

First Lieutenant James G. Hannah of K Company was on special duty with a detachment of the 71st New York from July 27th to 30th, when he was relieved by First Lieutenant Charles F. Nugent of B Company, who was in turn relieved by Second Lieutenant Alexander D. Jenney of A Company, on August 1st.

On July 30, Ernest Barrilas, a native of Havana, was mustered in and assigned to D Company.

On the same day Corporal Fred W. Field of A Company was appointed Regimental Quartermaster-Sergeant, and on the following day private Frank G. Engelhardt of the same company was appointed Hospital Steward.

Private James Killock of D Company was detailed as clerk in the Adjutant's office on August 1.

On August 3, Sergeant George LeRoy Traver of E Company was commissioned Second Lieutenant and assigned to H Company.

Chaplain Albert Dod Minor was appointed Regimental Postmaster, and First Lieutenant Frank B. Edwards of C Company was appointed Ordnance Officer of the Regiment.

On August 8 the regiment was supplied with Springfield rifles, and within a few days a full equipment, consisting of packs, haversacks, canteens, belts, shelter tents and poles was issued.

On August 17th, the regiment was presented with a regulation standard of both National and State colors by the "Society of the Daughters of the Revolution in the State of New York." The formal presentation was to have been made on the parade grounds, a temporary platform having been erected for the accommodation of the members of the society, but this ceremony had to be omitted on account of the severe rain storm which continued throughout the day.

Sergeants Philip S. Golderman of I Company and Michael J. Murphy of K Company were appointed Color Sergeants and D Company was designated as Color Company.

On August 19, Major Houston, of the Paymaster's Department, came to camp and made all happy by giving them their pay for July.

After much delay the Post Quartermaster succeeded in obtaining some lumber, and a detail of men from each company was immediately set to work building tent floors. By the 22d of August every tent in the regiment was furnished with a substantial board floor, which added materially to the health and comfort of the men, as the earth on which the men had previously been compelled to sleep was continually kept damp by the many rain storms which pervaded the camp.

On August 22, Privates Guy E. Wright of A Company, Charles Chase of E Company, Norman J. Vrooman of K Company, Bernard Livingston of L Company, and William R. McKinney of M. Company were transferred to the United States Hospital Corps.

On August 25, Privates Thomas F. Hastings, Edgar D. Phillips, George Parmelee and Archie M. Mead of L Company were appointed Corporals to take the place of men who were mustered in as Corporals for the purpose of completing the Muster-in Rolls.

On August 26, the following men were transferred to the United States Hospital Corps:

Company A—Privates William J. Anderson, Charles R. Campbell, LeRoy A. Cook, Hugh Dunn, Fred Finger, Walter Lawrence, Daniel Murphy, Joseph N. Nammack, Daniel Smith, Arthur Steele, Lewis E. Terwilliger and Fred H. Walters. Company B—Private Gilbert Thausen. Company C—Corporal Calvin J. Lighthart and Privates Albert Arndt, John Anderson, Thomas Brennan, Horace C. Benedict, Charles A. Chadwick, Charles F. Douglass, Charles L. Haefner, Joseph Hammersmith, William Little, Thomas F. McGillan, Alexander McLauren, George Mantor, Edward W. Reardon, Matthew Shannon, John A. Whitlock and John F. Yoeckle. Company D—Corporal Samuel Smelsey and Privates Walter S. Becker, William McClean and Benjamin F. Odell. Company E—Privates Marshall W. Cole and Bradford Dunning. Company G—Corporals John F. Cobb and Eugene A. Nellis, and Privates Walter Beebe, William S. Gardner, Samuel F. Gersley, Fred H. Greenia, Edward P. Hammond, Miles A. Havens, William R. Krum, Herbert D. McCaffery, William R. Rooney, Thomas A. Sunderland and George H. Tritsch. Company H—Private David Duncan. Company I—Privates Patrick Dwyer, Albert Kinttell, Paul Martin and William Young. Company L—Corporal Luther Potts and Privates Clarence C. Clift, Frank H. Millard, William J. Page, Fred D. Pierce, Edward W. Raynsford, Frank Stokes, William G. Wallenback, Arthur L. Williams and Royal E. Weight. Company M—Privates Herbert J. Hodges and William Shune.

On the same day Major John McClintock joined the regiment, and on the following day Hospital Steward Paul Whitmarsh was transferred to the United States Hospital Corps.

On August 28, Privates Fred Laager of A Company, Elmer Valentine of C Company, Louis McCole of H Company and William E. Purdy of D Company were discharged. Privates Charles G. Christian and William J. Moore of I Com-

pany were discharged on August 30. These men were examined by a Board of Surgeons and declared to be unfit for further military duty.

On August 29, Benjamin M. Holden, a private in E Company, died at the Post Hospital at Camp Black, of malarial fever. His remains were sent to his late home at Watertown, N. Y., for interment. This was the first death in the regiment.

Dennis B. Lucey, First Lieutenant in H Company, having previously tendered his resignation, was, on August 31, discharged from the service, pursuant to orders received from the Secretary of War.

On September 3, Second Lieutenant John J. Callanan of C Company was appointed First Lieutenant of H Company vice Lucey, resigned. Sergeant Duncan C. Lee of M Company was promoted Second Lieutenant of C Company.

The number of men sick and unfit for duty increased daily at an alarming rate. Many were suffering from malarial fever and not a few from typhoid fever. The number of patients at the Post Hospital became so large that it was necessary to secure the service of a number of trained nurses. They were furnished by the Red Cross Society, to the members of which a large number of soldiers are deeply indebted for the treatment they received during their service in the volunteer army.

Notwithstanding the effect of rumors that the regiment was to be mustered out and the increase of sickness in camp, the spirits of the men were buoyed up by the hope that the regiment would be called into active service.

New hopes were infused by the receipt of orders directing the regiment to proceed to Camp Meade, Pa., as this move was considered a step toward the front.

On September 5, the First Battalion under command of Lieutenant-Colonel Sanger, left camp in heavy marching order for Creedmoor, a distance of about eight miles, where they arrived late in the evening. The men spent the night in shelter tents and the following morning was devoted to

rifle practice, after which they returned to camp. As soon as the First Battalion returned to camp the Second and Third Battalions, also in heavy marching order, started for Creedmoor, where they arrived at about 10 p. m., September 6. A camp was hastily made of shelter tents in which the men spent the night, and in the morning they proceeded to the rifle range for practice. While at the range a severe rain storm set in, through which the men were obliged to march on their return to camp.

Pursuant to orders received from the Secretary of War, Captain John F. Klein of F Company was discharged from the service on September 7.

On the same day Private Sidney Thompson of B Company died of typhoid fever at the Post Hospital, Camp Black, N. Y. His remains was sent to his former home at Yonkers, N. Y., for interment.

The regiment received from the "Society of Colonial Wars" twelve handsome trumpets, each bearing the following inscription: "Presented to the 203rd Regt. N. Y. Vols., by the Society of Colonial Wars."

On September 10, preparations for the movement to Camp Meade were begun. The tents except those occupied by the officers were taken down and together with the other regimental property hauled to the station and put on board the cars.

After a hard day's work the men spent the night in shelter tents, which were pitched on what had been previously used as the parade ground. The following morning the work of transferring the baggage from the camp to the station was resumed and by noon all the camp equipage was loaded on the cars.

Five days' field rations, except the fresh meat and bread allowances, was issued to the regiment and two days' travel rations was issued to each company.

A large number of men were sick in the Post Hospital at Camp Black where it was necessary to leave them, as no provision had been made for their transfer to Camp Meade.

At about 2 p. m. the regiment, in heavy marching order, proceeded to the station, where a train of two sections was in waiting.

The presence at the railroad station of the 202nd Regiment band, which played while the men were entering the cars and until the train started, was greatly appreciated by the members of the 203rd.

The first section pulled out from the station at about 3 p. m., and was closely followed by the second section. The troops on their arrival at Long Island City were marched to the ferry-slip and put aboard a large ferryboat, which landed them at the pier of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

The trip from Long Island City to Jersey City was enlivened by the salutes of the different steam crafts on the river and the cheers of the people who were assembled on the piers along the route.

At Jersey City a train of three sections was in waiting, and the men were immediately put aboard, a separate seat being assigned to each man.

At about 8.30 p. m. the first section left Jersey City and was followed closely by the second and third sections.

The route taken was over the Central Railroad of New Jersey to Allentown, thence over the Philadelphia and Reading to Middletown, Pa.

The three sections arrived at Middletown, Pa., within a few minutes of each other; the last at about 5 o'clock Monday morning, September 12.

Chapter IV.

Camp Meade.

After coffee had been served to the men aboard the cars the regiment was formed and marched about two and a half miles over a very dusty road to the new camp site. The same ground had previously been occupied by the Twenty-second Regiment, Kansas Volunteers.

Before night all the camp equipage was transferred to the new camp and all the tents were in position. After the tents were put up it was found that there was not enough tent floors to go around. It was soon discovered that the railroad officials had refused to move from Camp Black two cars which had been loaded with tent floors, which fact accounted for the shortage.

Here the regiment, pursuant to the orders directing it to proceed to Camp Meade, became part of the First Brigade of the Second Division of the Second Army Corps. The regiment was brigaded with the Second West Virginia and the Fourth New Jersey, under command of Brigadier General Sheaf, and attached to the Second Division commanded by Brigadier General Davis, and the Second Army Corps under Major General Graham.

On September 12, Major Surgeon Burton S. Booth returned to the regiment after an absence of one month on sick leave.

Colonel Schuyler was placed in command of the 1st Brigade, 2nd Division, 2nd Army Corps on September 14th, and was not relieved until October 2nd, when the regiment was ordered to Conewago.

First Lieutenant Solomon Avery, Jr., of I Company was appointed Acting Commissary of Subsistence of the 1st Brigade, 2nd Division, 2nd Army Corps, which position he held until October 1st.

On September 15, Quartermaster Sergeant Charles G. Ellis, of L Company, was appointed Hospital Steward vice Whitmarsh transferred.

On the same day Sergeants William A. Mackenzie and Frank H. Wade of A Company were discharged, pursuant to telegraphic orders received from the War Department.

Musician William M. Malia of C Company, died of typhoid pneumonia in Post Hospital, Camp Black, N. Y., on the same day.

Private Augustus Cragill of K Company, died September 16, in 2nd Div., 2nd A. C. Hospital, Camp Meade, Pa.

Private, afterwards appointed Corporal, Lyman Huntly of K Company, was detailed as assistant at the Regimental Post Office, which position he creditably filled until the regiment was mustered out.

A number of men were detailed on special duty at the Corps bakery, and among the number were Privates Charles Gauque of D Company and D. W. Wright of M Company, who were detailed with the Brigade bakery when the regiment moved to Camp Wetherill, S. C.

The organization of a regimental band which had been contemplated for some time was effected, and the necessary instruments purchased from the Third Regiment, N. Y. Vols., which regiment was then under orders to be mustered out.

An Exchange or Canteen was here established and conducted by a civilian under the direct supervision of an officer detailed from the regiment for that purpose. This institution was heartily welcomed by the men, as they were now afforded an opportunity to purchase necessities and some delicacies at reasonable prices.

On September 17, Second Lieutenant Arthur G. Ackert of D Company, who was ill with typhoid fever, was taken to St. Clare Hospital, Harrisburgh, Pa., where he remained in a precarious condition for some time. He did not rejoin the regiment until November 10.

On the same day First Sergeant John Martin of B Company was discharged from the service pursuant to telegraphic orders from the Secretary of War.

Major Dawes of the Paymaster's Department came to camp and paid the men for August.

On September 18, Sergeant Edward Durston of A Company died of typhoid fever at his home in Syracuse, N. Y.

Sergeant Walter C. Lindsay of M Company was detailed on special duty at Headquarters, 2nd Div., 2nd Army Corps, on September 19, and was not relieved until the regiment was about to be mustered out.

On the same day Private Joseph W. O'Brien of K Company, died in Post Hospital, Camp Black, N. Y.

On September 20, Corporal John M. Weeks of E Company and Private Thomas McNamara of F Company were discharged from the service.

On September 21st, by order of the Secretary of War, the resignation of Second Lieutenant George W. Clodwick of E Company was accepted and he was honorably discharged from the United States service.

On the same day First Lieutenant Charles R. Murray of E Company was appointed Quartermaster, and Captain James S. Boyer of the same company left for his home at Watertown, N. Y., on sick leave, thus leaving E Company without a commissioned officer. First Lieutenant James G. Hannah of K Company was detailed as commander of E Company from September 23 to October 12, when he was relieved by Captain Boyer.

Private Albert F. Hopstein of A Company, who was on special duty as clerk in the Quartermaster's office, was relieved by Private Charles F. Kellogg of E Company, who retained this position until the regiment was disbanded.

Corporal Daniel F. Fulton of B Company was discharged from the service on September 22, pursuant to telegraphic orders received from the War Department.

On September 25, Quartermaster Norton Chase was mustered in as Captain of Company F and First Lieutenant

Charles R. Murray of E Company was mustered in as Quartermaster.

Overcoats and extra blankets were here issued to the men and they proved very acceptable, as the nights had become decidedly cold.

It was thought that the change from Camp Black to Camp Meade would have a beneficial effect upon the health of the men, but such was not the case. The number of sick continued to increase and nearly every day a number of men were taken to the Division Hospital. The fact that the regiment was located on ground which but a short time since had been occupied by other troops was not conducive to the betterment of this condition of affairs.

The number of sick in the Division Hospital had increased to such an extent that it became necessary to procure other accommodations. Those whose cases were considered the most dangerous were transferred to the different hospitals in the neighboring cities, and the men who were able to travel were given a furlough for thirty days and sent home.

The officials became alarmed at the fierce inroads made in the ranks by sickness, and at once set about to obtain a new camp site at a distance from the other troops.

A satisfactory location was secured at Conewago, a small station on the line of the Pennsylvania Railroad, about eight miles from the present camp.

Lumber and tents were forwarded to the new camp and a detail of men from the regiment in charge of Lieutenants Sturgis and Traver were sent there to prepare the camp, as it was decided all tentage now in use in the regiment should be abandoned.

On September 29, Private Nicholas J. Schug of G Company died of typhoid fever at Philadelphia Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.

On the same day Hamilton Foley was appointed First Lieutenant of E Company. He was not mustered in, however, until October 28.

October 1, Second Lieutenant Thomas J. Dooley of F Company was honorably discharged from the service of the United States, pursuant to orders received from the Secretary of War. Private Floyd C. Wait of E Company was also discharged.

On the same day Quartermaster Sergeant John G. Stevenson of C Company, died of typhoid fever at St. Joseph's Hospital, Lancaster, Pa. His remains were sent to his late home at Amsterdam, N. Y., for interment.

On Sunday morning, October 2, orders were received directing the regiment to proceed at once to the new camp at Conewago. The baggage and camp equipments, except tents were loaded on the mule wagons of the 2nd Division wagon train, and at about 2 p. m. the train, consisting of about fifty wagons, started for Conewago.

The regiment marched to the Camp Meade Station, where a train was in waiting. The men at once went aboard and were conveyed to Conewago Station, which was within a very short distance of the new camp.

Chapter V.

Conewago.

At first the regiment suffered on account of the inadequate supply of good water, as all the water to be used for cooking purposes was brought from the supply at Camp Meade in tank-cars. The first shipment was made in an oil tank and was wholly unfit for use as it was impossible to remove the odor and taste of oil, though two different filters were used with that object in view. Thereafter the water was brought from Camp Meade in an old engine tender, and though the quantity was limited the quality was much improved.

A well equipped hospital was established and qualified men from the regiment detailed to act as attendants. The typhoid fever patients were not retained at this hospital for treatment, but were sent to some reputable hospital in one of the nearby cities.

Of the number of men detailed as attendants at the regimental hospital, Corporal Lee B. Wright of A Company and Private Silas S. Feeter of D Company, maintained their connection with the hospital during the existence of the regiment.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Stewart was assigned to the regiment, where he remained for over a month. He was an untiring worker and he did much toward bringing about a better condition of health in the regiment.

Private Joseph Quinn of C Company, died on October 2, of typhoid fever, at Hospital, Morristown, Pa.

On October 3rd, by an order of the Secretary of War, the resignation of Henry S. Clark, First Lieutenant and Adjutant, was accepted and he was honorably discharged from the service of the United States.

On the same day Sergeant-Major Charles W. Frear was commissioned Second Lieutenant and assigned to E Company. Corporal Walter I. Lyman of E Company was appointed Sergeant-Major vice Frear promoted.

During the morning of October 3rd, two men from D Company while on their way to a stream a short distance from camp, discovered the body of Private William R. Ostrander, of the same company, lying in the brush. They hastened back to camp and notified the Surgeon in charge, who at once sent an ambulance after the body. An examination disclosed the fact that death resulted from angina pectoris, a form of heart disease. The body was sent to an undertaker at Elizabethtown, and after funeral services, in which the local Grand Army Post participated, the remains were sent to Newburgh, N. Y., for interment.

On October 5th, Second Lieutenant Michael Collins of M Company returned to the regiment after an absence of one month on sick leave, and Second Lieutenant Austin J. McMahon of L Company, who was suffering from typhoid fever, was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, Reading, Pa. He was unable to rejoin the regiment until December 12.

On October 7th, First Lieutenant Solomon Avery, Jr., of I Company was mustered in as Adjutant, vice Clarke resigned.

On the same day Private Ellwood B. Ross of E Company was discharged, pursuant to telegraphic orders received from the War Department.

On Sunday, October 9th, the first religious service in the field, at which the regiment was present, was conducted by the Chaplain. The "Church call" was sounded and the companies marched to the parade ground, where they formed a semi-circle in front of the temporary pulpit which had been previously erected.

The service was opened with a prayer, followed by the singing of hymns, after which the Chaplain delivered an eloquent and forcible sermon in which he called the attention of his audience to the fact that a soldier had many

things to be thankful for and that a soldier's life was not altogether a hard one. The service was closed by the singing of the "National Ode," in which the members of the regiment heartily joined.

On the same day Private Christopher J. Schmidt, Jr., of H Company, died in the German Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.

On October 11th the regiment went out on a practice march through the surrounding country. The regiment kept on the highway on the way out, but the return march was "across country."

At the evening parade on October 12th, orders were published directing the regiment to proceed to Greenville, S. C., on or about October 27th. This order was afterward countermanded.

On October 13th, the regiment went out on a practice march in heavy marching order. The line of march selected was to Elizabethtown, a distance of about two miles, and return.

On the same day Captain John I. Pruyn of B Company left for his home at Yonkers, N. Y., on sick leave, and First Lieutenant Nugent assumed command of the company.

The people in the vicinity of the camp cherished a very friendly feeling for the soldiers and did much toward relieving the monotony of their existence. The inhabitants of Elizabethtown, a village within about two miles from the camp, were particularly kind. The town hall was converted into a dining room where the ladies of the village served meals to the provost guard who were stationed in the vicinity.

Assistant Surgeon Abram L. Haynes returned to the regiment on the 15th of October, after an absence of about twenty days on sick leave.

Private Charles A. Riggs of I Company was discharged the same day, pursuant to telegraphic orders received from the Secretary of War.

On October 16th, Private Michael A. Rorrick of M Company, died of typhoid fever at Elmira, N. Y.

Private Delbert C. Nellis of C Company, died on October 17, at the House of Good Shepherd, Syracuse, N. Y.

On the 19th of October Major Coffin of the Paymaster's Department came to camp and paid the men for September.

Second Lieutenant John W. Arbuckle of B Company was honorably discharged from the service of the United States on October 20th, pursuant to orders received from the War Department.

First Sergeant John C. Dardess of I Company, Sergeant Sidney D. Wilgus of H Company, and Corporal Joseph C. Baker of A Company were also discharged from the service pursuant to orders received from the Secretary of War.

On the same day Corporal John H. Plumptre of C Company, died of typhoid fever at Presbyterian Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.

On October 21st, Second Lieutenant Duncan C. Lee of C Company was given an honorable discharge from the service of the United States, pursuant to an order received from the Secretary of War.

On the same day Private Theodore J. Reynolds of I Company, died of typhoid fever at the Arnot-Ogden Hospital, Elmira, N. Y.

The general health in the regiment now began to show marked signs of improvement, and the men who had been absent on sick furlough and at the different hospitals were returning to camp in large numbers.

Orders directing the vaccination of every man in the regiment were received and the Surgeons at once proceeded to comply with the same. Drilling with arms was suspended for a time after the men were vaccinated.

On the 23rd of October, First Sergeant Alfred J. Tooker and Quartermaster-Sergeant Richard H. Brown of F Company were discharged, pursuant to orders received from the Secretary of War.

On October 26th First Sergeant John M. Irwin of E Company was commissioned Second Lieutenant of F Company, and First Sergeant Fred C. Norris of M Company was commissioned Second Lieutenant in B Company.

On the same day Corporal Edward M. Bendixin, Privates Clarence C. Bingham and Ambrose L. Webb of A Company, and Private Frederick M. Hodges of I Company were discharged, pursuant to orders received from the War Department.

On October 27th, First Lieutenant Alexander D. Jenney of A Company was promoted to First Lieutenant of I Company, and Sergeant Philip S. Golderman of I Company was commissioned Second Lieutenant and assigned to A Company.

On the same day Corporal Louis O. Dingus of H Company was discharged from the service, pursuant to telegraphic orders received from the Secretary of War.

On October 30, Regimental Quartermaster Sergeant Fred W. Field received orders to report at Division Headquarters, where he was detailed on special duty as assistant to the Engineer officer and ordered to proceed to Greenville, S. C., to assist in the preparation of a winter camp at that place.

Captain Norton Chase of F Company, having tendered his resignation, was, on November 2nd, discharged from the service of the United States, pursuant to orders received from the Secretary of War. On the same day First Lieutenant Stephen H. Mould of D Company, who had been absent on sick leave for over a month, returned to the regiment.

Colonel Schuyler was at Washington from October 29th to November 3rd, during which time Lieutenant-Colonel Sanger was in command of the regiment.

The third day of November was designated by the commanding officer as the date of holding the election in the regiment, pursuant to the provisions of the law granting to soldiers the right to vote in the field. Election officers were

selected in each company and the different Captains' tents converted into polling places, which were kept open from 8 a. m. to 1 p. m., during which time every qualified elector in the regiment was given an opportunity to cast his ballot. Less than five hundred ballots were cast in the regiment, and the largest number cast in any company was forty-three, which number was in D Company.

All drills were suspended for the day and the afternoon was devoted to field sports, in which teams from the different companies participated.

First Sergeant James T. Akin and Quartermaster Sergeant Wildridge H. Gorman of H Company were discharged on November 3rd, pursuant to orders received from the War Department.

On November 5th, Private Charles Sullivan of C Company was discharged without honor, pursuant to the findings of a General Court Martial.

On November 6th, Horace Webster was appointed Second Lieutenant and assigned to C Company. Carl A. Trost, a private in A Company, was appointed Principal Musician vice Stamm, reduced. Private James H. Lynch of H Company received his discharge on the same day.

The Board of Surgeons appointed to examine Private Jerome W. Seeley of E Company, as to his mental and physical condition, reported that he was unfit for further military duty. He was, therefore, discharged from the service on November 8th.

The weather at this camp continued to grow colder and more unpleasant, therefore the orders directing the regiment to proceed to Greenville, South Carolina, were hailed with no small degree of pleasure, and active preparations for the movement were at once begun.

On November 10th, Privates Ward J. Kenney and William K. Landers of L Company were discharged, pursuant to telegraphic orders received from the War Department.

While at Conewago the members of H Company presented their Captain with a very fine dress sword.

On November 11th, "Reveille" was sounded at an early hour and the work of breaking camp begun at once. The tents were taken down and together with the other camp equipage hauled to the station. After all the baggage was put aboard the cars the horses and mules were loaded on cattle cars and the ambulances and mule wagons put on flat cars. Some time was consumed in getting the horses and mules in the cars, as some of them had decided objections to such narrow quarters. The tent floors were neatly piled and the camp thoroughly policed, all of which was completed before noon.

Three days travel rations were issued to each company, and Lieutenants Baldwin, Traver and Hannah were detailed as Acting Quartermaster of the first, second and third Battalions respectively.

At about 1 p. m. the regiment, in heavy marching order, left the camp and proceeded to the station where a train of three sections was in waiting. A number of freight cars were attached to each section, and after much backing and switching the first section left Conewago Station at about 2.30 p. m. The first section was in charge of Lieutenant-Colonel Sanger and carried Companies A, I, M and E. This section took on the Brigade Staff, guard detail and baggage at Harrisburgh, Pa. The second section was in charge of Major Goodier and carried Companies C, D, H and G; and the third section was in charge of Major McClintock and carried Companies B, F, K and L.

The three sections arrived at Baltimore within a few minutes of each other at about 9 p. m. The train remained here for some time. Another delay was experienced at Washington, where the three sections arrived within half an hour of each other; the first at about 11.30 p. m.

A short distance out from Washington the engine attached to the second section broke down, and this section was side-tracked for several hours, during which time it was passed by the third section. The first and third sections were now running close together with the second section

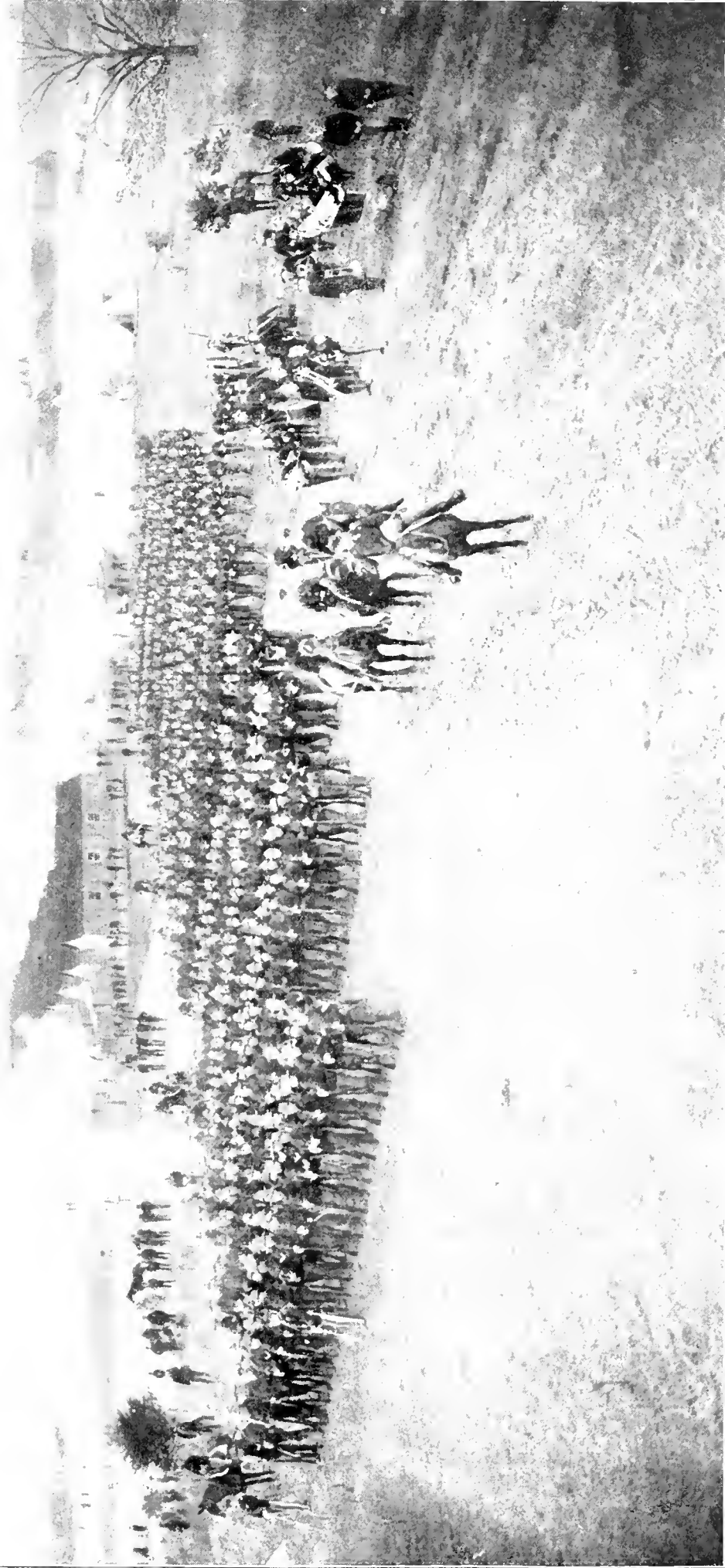
about two hours behind, which relative position they maintained to the end of the journey.

When the morning of November 12th dawned bright and clear the regiment was traveling through that part of Virginia where years before the contending armies of the North and South struggled for supremacy, and where many brave men sacrificed their lives on the altar of the God of War that the cause which each thought just might prevail.

Time, however, has effectually removed the evidences of the conflict, and the hills and vales then red with the blood of brothers were resplendant in autumnal foliage.

The first and third sections arrived at Charlottesville, Va., at about 8 a. m., and the second section at 10 a. m. The officers and men of each section breakfasted at this place.

The mid-day meal was had at Lynchburgh, Va., where the first two sections arrived at about 12 m., and the last section at 2 p. m. Stops were also made for meals at Danville, Va., and Greenboro, N. C.



The 203d Regiment at the Winter Camp at Greenville, S. C. Taken December, 1898.

Chapter VI.



Camp Wetherill.

The regiment, after a very slow and tiresome trip, arrived at Greenville, S. C., early Sunday morning, November 13th.

A very severe rain storm was in progress, which continued throughout the day, adding much to the discomfort of the men while engaged in transferring the baggage and making camp. The men also learned something of the quality of southern mud, as it was several inches deep on the road over which they were obliged to pass on the way to camp.

The camp had been previously laid out by the Engineer officers and a number of tent floors were on the ground, therefore there was very little delay in getting the tents in position. The tents were erected in rows of three, the front and center tents being open at both ends, thus forming one long tent. This form of construction was adopted in order to reduce the number of separate structures to correspond with the number of tent-stoves allowed to the regiment.

The three regiments, the 203rd N. Y., 4th N. J., and 2nd W. Va., which composed the First Brigade of the Second Division of the Second Army Corps, were located on a ridge just north of Greenville; the 203rd being on the west and nearest the Second Division Hospital.

A crop of sweet potatoes had just been removed from the ground now occupied by the regiment and it required considerable time and labor to put it in a satisfactory condition. Just north of the camp a crop of cotton was in full growth.

The present location of the regiment admitted of a thorough system of drainage, which was immediately adopted and the work of making the camp thoroughly sanitary car-

ried out, as it was expected that the regiment would remain here for some time. The water supply of the regiment was taken from the Greenville water works, and was of a much better quality than that which was furnished at any other camp.

Second Lieutenant Charles W. Frear of E Company, did not accompany the regiment to Greenville, as an order directing his discharge was received from the Secretary of War on November 11th.

On November 12th, Second Lieutenant George J. Winslow of G Company, who had been absent for a long time on sick leave, was discharged from the service of the United States pursuant to an order received from the War Department.

The officers of the regiment leased a large house in the immediate vicinity of the camp and established their mess therein. Some of the rooms were also fitted up for the accommodation of officers on the sick list, and the barns on the premises were converted into stables for the horses.

At about 9 p. m., November 14th, a fire broke out in the tent used by the Adjutant as an office, and some of the records of the regiment were destroyed. The fire occurred during the temporary absence of the Sergeant-Major, and was caused by the overturning of a lighted candle which he had left on the desk. Fortunately, the important records of the regiment were not destroyed, as they had not been removed from the cases in which they were brought from Conewago.

The Quartermaster's Department furnished lumber with which to build cook-shacks and mess-halls, and in a short time each company had erected comfortable and spacious buildings.

The mess-halls were particularly desirable, being large, well lighted, well heated and generally adapted to fill a long felt want in furnishing the men with a comfortable place to eat in and where they could spend their spare time

during stormy weather and the long autumn and winter evenings.

On November 15th, Privates Fred A. Lasher and Robert A. Parkinson of E Company were discharged from the service on orders received from the War Department.

On November 16th, Private Alexander C. Grieve of B Company was discharged, pursuant to an order received from the Secretary of War.

On November 19th, Major Lewis E. Goodier was appointed Ordnance Officer and Inspector of Small Arms Practice of the Second Division, Second Army Corps. First Lieutenant George L. Baldwin of A Company was also appointed Assistant Judge Advocate, General Court Martial, from which duty he was relieved on December 11th, when he was commissioned Captain.

On November 20th, each man in the regiment was supplied with a muslin bed-sack, and straw with which to fill them was issued thereafter at intervals of fifteen days.

On November 21, Private James Murphy of I Company was transferred to the United States Signal Corps, pursuant to an order of the Secretary of War.

Sergeant Samuel M. Stewart of A Company was discharged from the service on November 22nd, pursuant to telegraphic orders received from the War Department.

Quartermaster Sergeant Fred W. Field was commissioned Second Lieutenant and assigned to G Company on November 24. He was mustered in December 4.

Captain Edward P. White of C Company, was directed by the commanding officer to assume command of the second battalion during the absence of Major Goodier on special duty. He was relieved on December 11.

Thanksgiving day was duly observed in the regiment. Some of the companies received from their home stations, large consignments of turkeys and other seasonable edibles; others substantial sums of money, while the less fortunate companies were obliged to raise by subscription the funds

necessary to purchase the supplies for the time honored turkey dinner.

On November 25th, First Sergeant Anton H. Schroeter of L Company was commissioned Second Lieutenant of E Company, vice Frear resigned.

On November 26, the First Brigade of which the regiment formed a part was reviewed by Generals Young and Davis. The review was held in a large field to the north of the camp. The Brigade presented a very fine appearance, and the Colonels were highly complimented by the reviewing officers on the condition of their respective commands.

On the same day the regiment received a consignment of Sibley tent stoves, which were at once issued to the companies. One stove was allowed to each row of three tents and was put up in the front tent, from which position it was capable, when properly attended, of comfortably warming the whole three tents.

It was now getting late in the month and all hands were of the opinion that the Paymaster had forgotten the location of the regiment. This was not the case, however, as he arrived in camp on the 28th, well supplied with funds, which he distributed among the members of the regiment according to their rank and previous conduct.

On November 29th orders were received from the Secretary of War directing the discharge of Major Surgeon Burton S. Booth, he having previously tendered his resignation. He was not mustered out, however, until December 1.

Quartermaster-Sergeant Grant Miller of I Company and Sergeant Daniel F. Kennedy of F Company were discharged from the service on November 29th, pursuant to telegraphic orders received from the War Department.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sanger was in command of the regiment during the absence of Colonel Schuyler, from November 30th to December 3.

In addition to the regular drills the regiment was instructed in Butts' Manual, and First Lieutenant Hamilton Foley of E Company was designated as instructor.

First Lieutenant Percival F. Dalphin of M Company rejoined the regiment on December 2nd, after an absence of two months on sick leave.

On December 3rd, Private James F. Reynolds of F Company was discharged, pursuant to an order received from the War Department.

Quartermaster-Sergeant P. Samuel Rigney of D Company was appointed Quartermaster Sergeant of the regiment on December 4.

On December 5th Corporal Lawrence A. Critenden of H Company was discharged pursuant to an order received from the Secretary of War.

On December 6th, First Lieutenant George T. G. Saxton of F Company was honorably discharged from the service, and Corporal Paul W. Arnold of A Company also received his discharge, both pursuant to orders received from the Secretary of War.

Second Lieutenant Fred W. Field was detailed as acting Commissary of Subsistence and Engineer officer of the regiment on December 7th, and Corporal Francis J. Casey of G Company was transferred to H Company, where he was appointed Sergeant and detailed with the band.

First Lieutenant Alexander D. Jenney of I Company, having tendered his resignation, was on December 8th, honorably discharged from the service of the United States. On the same day Second Lieutenant Fred W. Field was detailed on special duty at the Second Division Hospital.

During the early part of December the members of the Non-Commissioned Staff, who had previously been assigned to the different companies for rations, organized a separate mess in a house near the camp.

The many rumors to the effect that the regiment was to be sent to Cuba for garrison duty on or about January 1st, attained considerable credence when orders were received by the Quartermaster directing him to immediately prepare and forward a requisition for "canvas uniforms for tropical

service;" but the uniforms, like the orders to proceed to Cuba, were never received.

On December 9th, First Lieutenant P. F. Dalphin of M Company was detailed as assistant to Captain Lord, Commissary of Subsistence of the First Brigade. He was relieved on the 11th of January.

Assistant Surgeon Abram L. Haynes was promoted Major and Surgeon on December 10th, vice Booth, resigned.

On December 12th, First Lieutenant George L. Baldwin of A Company was commissioned Captain Company F, and Private Ray B. Shaefer of A Company was given his discharge, pursuant to telegraphic orders received from the Secretary of War.

First Sergeant Rinaldo R. Wood of C Company was appointed Second Lieutenant and assigned to I Company on December 13, and on December 14th, First Sergeant Goss L. Stryker of G Company was commissioned Second Lieutenant of H Company.

On December 15th, Second Lieutenant Louis H. Payne of I Company and George LeRoy Traver of H Company were commissioned First Lieutenants and assigned to Companies A and F respectively.

On December 16th a detail from the regiment under command of Major McClintock, was sent to Greenville to act as Provost guard, where they remained one week.

Major Holloway of the Paymaster's Department came to camp on December 19th, and paid the men for November.

Early on the morning of December 20th, Private John B. Mattice of K Company, while on guard duty at one of the outposts in the eastern part of Greenville, discovered two members of the 2nd West Virginia Regiment shooting at a tree in the vicinity of his post. This being directly contrary to orders, he commanded them to desist, but they paid no attention to him, and when he repeated his command they turned upon him and fired two shots in his direction. He fearing for his life, slipped a cartridge into his rifle and fired in the direction of the men. The bullet hit the nearer

man and passed through his body inflicting a wound from which he died soon afterward. The second man was also slightly wounded by the same bullet. Mattice was placed under arrest and held for trial before a General Court Martial.

This occurrence was much to be deplored as it created among the members of the 2nd W. Va. Regiment, a bitter feeling against the men of the Two Hundred and Third, which later on resulted in bloodshed.

Private Michael A. Gaffney of E Company was discharged from the service on December 20th, pursuant to an order received from the War Department.

On December 21st, Corporal Harvey R. Wallace of H Company was discharged, pursuant to orders received from the Secretary of War, and on December 22nd, Privates Harry H. Shavor of I Company and George F. Yeomans of E Company, were also discharged.

On December 23rd, Private Charles M. Woodside of H Company was discharged without honor, pursuant to the findings of a General Court Martial.

On December 28th, Privates Robert H. Moorhead of D Company was discharged pursuant to a telegraphic order received from the War Department on December 8.

Corporal Russell S. Carroll of A Company was discharged pursuant to an order received from the Secretary of War, on December 29.

On December 31st, Captain John B. Tuck of Company A was placed in command of the third battalion by order of Colonel Schuyler, which position he held until January 23.

New Years morning all the officers of the regiment called at headquarters in a body to pay their respects to the Colonel.

On the first day of January Colonel Schuyler was placed in command of the First Brigade and he was not relieved until February 1st, during which time Lieutenant-Colonel Sanger was in command of the regiment.

Private Oscar Calkauf of B Company was discharged on

January 2nd, and Private Daniel F. Ronan of A Company, died, the same day, of pneumonia, in the Second Division Hospital, Camp Wetherill, S. C.

On January 3rd, Hospital Steward Charles G. Ellis was discharged, pursuant to a telegraphic order received from the Secretary of War December 15th. Private Julius Revinis of B Company, who was at his own request reduced from Quartermaster Sergeant, was also discharged from the service.

On January 4th, Captain John I. Pruyn of B Company, who had been absent for over two months on sick leave returned to the regiment. He was given a hearty welcome by the members of his command, by whom he was highly regarded, having won their esteem by his kindly bearing toward all.

John C. Brown was appointed First Lieutenant of I Company on January 5th, but did not report for duty until later in the month. Privates Rudolph Frank of B Company and Simon Finkenburg of H Company were discharged from the service on the same day.

Sergeants Claude S. Hedges and Clarence C. Burk of D Company and Private Harry G. Reynolds of I Company were discharged on January 7.

On January 9th, Private Michael B. Flaherty was discharged, pursuant to an order received from the War Department, and Private Curtis D. Rowe of C Company was given a disability discharge.

On the 10th of January a General Court Martial, of which Colonel Gilmore of the Fourth New Jersey Regiment was President, and Captain Coward of the same regiment was Judge Advocate, was convened for the trial of Private John B. Mattice of K Company, who was charged with violating the 58th Article of War. Mattice was ably defended by Major Goodier and Captains White and Bennett, and after a trial, which continued for four days, was acquitted.

Private Howard R. Nugent of B Company was discharged

on January 10th, pursuant to telegraphic orders received from the Secretary of War.

On January 11th, Major Surgeon Abram L. Haynes was detailed as acting Brigade Surgeon; Second Lieutenant Arthur G. Ackert of D Company was appointed Acting Quartermaster of the Second Division Hospital, and Second Lieutenant Fred C. Norris of B Company was detailed as assistant to Captain Lord, Brigade Commissary of Subsistence.

January 11th was the first real winter day experienced at Camp Wetherill. A light rain storm prevailed throughout the day and toward evening the temperature fell below the freezing point. During the night a complete coating of ice was formed over everything that was exposed to the elements, and when "reveille" sounded the next morning the men found the flaps of their tents frozen together.

First Lieutenant Percival F. Dalphin of M Company was mustered in as First Lieutenant and Assistant Surgeon on January 12.

On January 13th, Private Edward J. Westcott of E Company was discharged, and on January 15th Private George B. Montague of M Company was also discharged from the service.

Privates Thomas J. Cook of D Company and James E. Whiffen of M Company received their discharges on January 16th, and on the following day Private John O'Neill of H Company was granted a disability discharge.

On January 20th, Sergeant John M. Quillan of B Company and Privates Justin R. Skinner of G Company and Charles L. White of H Company were discharged, pursuant to orders received from the War Department.

First Lieutenant James G. Hannah of K Company was appointed Judge Advocate, Second Division, Second Army Corps, on January 21st, and January 24th Corporal LeRoy W. Hickok of M Company was appointed Hospital Steward, vice Ellis, discharged.

By the verbal orders of the commanding officer, Captain

Tuck was placed in command of the first battalion, which duty he performed until relieved on February 10th.

On January 25th, Privates Edmond F. Engelhart and Allen McDonald of E Company were discharged from the service of the United States.

On January 26th the regular afternoon drill was supplanted by a sham battle. The regiment was divided and one battalion sent out in advance to take up a position in the woods to the north of the camp, where they were afterwards attacked by the balance of the regiment. Blank cartridges were used and to the onlooker the scene was very realistic.

On the following day the performance was repeated, except that the party on the defensive took up their position in and about vacant buildings situated on a hill to the north of the camp.

Hospital Steward Frank G. Engelhardt rejoined the regiment on January 27th, after an absence of over three months. On the 15th of October he was sent to a hospital at Philadelphia and from there to Fort Myer, Va., where on December 31st, he was assigned to duty with the Hospital Corps.

During the night of January 27th, and the forenoon of the 28th a severe snow storm pervaded the camp. The snow did not remain for any length of time, however, as the greater part of it melted as it fell.

On January 29th, Second Lieutenants Horace Webster of C Company and Philip S. Colderman of A Company were detailed on special duty with the Engineer Department, Second Division, Second Army Corps. They were relieved on March 1st.

First Sergeant Arthur Chambers of B Company and Musician Joseph A. Lapp of F Company were discharged on January 30th, pursuant to orders received from the Secretary of War, and on the following day Privates Jacob Willis of H Company and George A. Bishop and James F. Parsons of L Company were also discharged from the service.

On February 1st, Lieutenant-Colonel William Cary Sanger was mustered out of the United States service, his resignation having been accepted and an order issued by the Secretary of War directing his discharge.

Colonel Sanger had been offered the position of Inspector on the Staff of Major General Roe, commanding the National Guard of New York, when the war began, but his acceptance had been held in abeyance. Under the law changing the organization of the Headquarters Staff, the position of Assistant Chief of Artillery, which Col. Sanger had held, ceased to exist December 31st, and to be eligible for a position on the Staff of the Major General the appointment had to be made not later than that date; the appointment was accordingly made and Colonel Sanger was notified of the action of the State authorities.

So long as there was any chance of the regiment being ordered to active duty, Col. Sanger postponed action regarding his new appointment; but when satisfied that the regiment would soon be mustered out, he sent in his resignation as an officer in the volunteer service, in order to take up his duties in the State force—duties made especially important by reason of the reorganization of the National Guard, which was being energetically carried forward by the State authorities.

Colonel Sanger was held in the highest esteem by both officers and enlisted men, and as he was about to leave camp he was surrounded by the members of the regiment who took advantage of this occasion to show the extent of their appreciation and at the same time bid farewell to the man, who during his sojourn with the regiment, had won their confidence and esteem.

Private John J. Murphy of B Company was discharged from the service on February 1st, and on the following day Privates Floyd H. Bretch of E Company and Worthey S. Patchen of L Company were given their discharges. First Sergeant Paul M. Pain of A Company who had been absent

for some time on sick furlough, was also discharged, pursuant to orders received from the War Department.

On February 2nd, Major Lewis E. Goodier was commissioned Lieutenant-Colonel; Captain James S. Boyer of E Company was commissioned Major, and Solomon Avery, Jr., First Lieutenant and Adjutant was commissioned Captain of Company E.

Before Major Goodier relinquished command of the second battalion to assume the duties of Lieutenant-Colonel the members of the battalion presented him with a handsome sabre.

Private Charles Eckles of Company A was discharged on February 3rd, and on the following day Private Ernest J. P. Witt of F Company was given his discharge.

Captain Solomon Avery, Jr., of E Company was detailed as Acting Assistant Adjutant-General, First Brigade, Second Division, Second Army Corps, on February 4th, which position he held until the regiment was mustered out.

On February 5th, Private John V. Searls of F Company, died at the Second Division Hospital, Camp Wetherill, Greenville, S. C.

Sergeants William E. Gengel of C Company and Spencer M. Johns of F Company and Private Ernest A. McCoy of M Company were discharged on February 6th, pursuant to orders received from the Secretary of War, and on the following day Private Henry A. Dinehart of I Company was also discharged from the service.

Major Wallace of the Paymaster's Department came to camp on February 8th and paid the men for January. On the same day a number of new orders relative to the government of the camp were issued by Colonel Schuyler, which among other things, directed that no colored person or suspicious character be allowed within the guard lines.

During the night of February 8th a cold wave struck the camp, and the rain storm which had been in progress during the day turned into a very severe snow storm. The temperature continued to fall until it reached a point several

degrees below zero, an unusual occurrence in this part of the country. This change was very sudden and caused considerable suffering in the regiment, particularly among the men who were obliged to do guard duty. The number of sentry posts about the camp were reduced and the reliefs posted every hour, in order to lessen as far as possible the hardship of the men on guard. This extremely cold weather continued for about a week.

Private Fred L. Briethaup of I Company was discharged on February 8th, and on February 9th Artificer Frank Rankin of E Company and Private Stephen B. Beesmer of K Company were discharged pursuant to orders received from the War Department.

On February 10th Sergeant Oram Fetterly and Corporal Charles H. Fetterly of H Company, Privates John Bush of E Company, Albert Davenport of G Company and George R. Morris of M Company were discharged, pursuant to telegraphic orders received from the Secretary of War.

On February 11th, Companies E, H and K went to Greenville to act as Provost Guard, where they remained until the 21st.

First Lieutenant Hamilton Foley of E Company was appointed Adjutant, and Second Lieutenant John M. Irwin of F Company was commissioned First Lieutenant of M Company, on the 11th of February.

Private Frank Stead of F Company was discharged from the service on February 14th, and on the following day Private Fred W. July of E Company was granted a discharge, pursuant to the findings of a Board of Surgeons, which had been appointed to examine him as to his physical condition.

Captain Baldwin of F Company suffered the loss of all his personal effects in a fire which completely destroyed his tent during the night of the 16th of February.

On the 18th of February Private George W. Ish of K Company was discharged, and on the 20th First Sergeant Winfield S. Soetermon and Corporal James M. Percival of B

Company were also discharged, pursuant to orders received from the Secretary of War.

First Lieutenant Charles Vrooman of K Company was appointed First Lieutenant of E Company on February 21st, and Sergeant-Major Walter I. Lyman and First Sergeant Adam B. Jaeger of D Company were commissioned Second Lieutenants and assigned to Companies K and F respectively. Lieutenant Jaeger was the recipient of a handsome sword, which was presented to him by Captain Hunter of D Company.

On February 22nd, Corporal Edwin F. Abbett of I Company was discharged, and Private James F. Daly of F Company received his discharge on February 23rd, pursuant to orders from the War Department.

It was a great disappointment to the regiment that they could not see any active service; but notwithstanding this, the men accepted the monotony of camp life with commendable spirit and fortitude; but when it was certain that they would never have anything but camp life in this country, they received with satisfaction the orders of February 21st for the mustering out of the regiment.

On the 24th of February Privates Frank Hutchings of A Company, Haviland L. Jenks and Frank O. Richmond of M Company were discharged, pursuant to orders received from the Secretary of War.

Sergeant Lucian D. Lacey of G Company, Corporal Clinton J. Bishop of E Company, Private John Stack of E Company, Private Herbert McCabe of D Company, and Wagoner Jacob Cohen of L Company were placed on special duty with the Quartermaster, to assist in the work made necessary by the receipt of orders directing that the regiment be mustered out.

Corporal James Killock of D Company was appointed Sergeant-Major on February 27th, and the same day Chief Musician Harry Alden was discharged from the service, pursuant to a telegraphic order of the Secretary of War, dated the 21st day of February.

Musician Joseph David of H Company was appointed Chief Musician on February 28th, vice Alden, discharged.

On March 1st a number of non-commissioned officers were appointed to fill existing vacancies in the different companies, thus completing the rolls prior to mustering out.

Private Ernest Egger of G Company, having been examined by a Board of Surgeons, was, on the 6th of March, discharged from the service because of physical disability, which unfitted him for further military duty.

The 25th day of March was selected as the date on which the regiment was to be mustered out, and on March 6th the physical examination of the men was begun by the Surgeons who had been detailed for that purpose. Major Surgeon Kneedler of the Fourth New Jersey Regiment, and Acting Assistant Surgeons Riefsnyder and Cohen of the Second Division Hospital, were detailed to conduct the examinations.

The examination was by no means thorough, as the men were rushed through at the rate of about two per minute, except in cases where disability was claimed, in which case a little more time was devoted to the work.

On March 8th, Private James E. Potts of I Company was discharged, and on the following day Private Michael T. Connelly of F Company was also discharged from the service.

During the evening of March 11th, Private John H. Roberts of B Company, while on his way to camp from Greenville, was shot and dangerously wounded by Provost Guard W. T. Sherman Ward, a private of Company K, 2nd West Virginia. The shooting was done with a revolver and was entirely unprovoked, and was thought to be the outcome of the bad blood which had been aroused among the members of the 2nd West Virginia by the killing of one of their members by Private Mattice of K Company, while on duty as a provost guard, during the month of December, 1898.

Lieutenant-Colonel Goodier who had been in command of the regiment since February 21st, was relieved on March

16th by Colonel Schuyler, who had been in command of the First Brigade since the 20th of February.

On March 17th Colonel Schuyler reviewed the evening parade for the last time, and the men of the regiment never presented a better appearance than when they marched in review on this occasion.

Private James T. Haynes of H Company was discharged without honor on March 18th, pursuant to the verdict of a General Court Martial before which he had been tried.

The work preparatory to the mustering out of the regiment progressed rapidly under the supervision of Captain Ezra B. Fuller, 7th U. S. Cavalry, who had been detailed as mustering officer, and was all finished within the required time.

Being mindful of the fact that it is but human to err, mention of the names of the men who were tried by Summary Court have been purposely omitted, as it is considered enough that these unpleasant occurrences remain in the memory of the men who were thereby made to pay the penalty of their indiscretions.

There were no permanent Battalion Adjutants appointed in the regiment, and these positions were filled by different Lieutenants. Lieutenant Mould of D Company acted as Adjutant of the Second Battalion the greater part of the time, and Lieutenant Sturgis of L Company generally performed similar duties in the Third Battalion.

At 8 o'clock Saturday morning, March 25th, the work of mustering out the regiment was begun. The companies were formed successively on the parade ground and after the roll call was verified by Captain Fuller each company proceeded to the mess hall to which it had been assigned for payment. The field and staff and six companies were paid by Major Philip Gallour in Company D's mess hall, and the balance of the regiment received their money from Major Ralph Hartzell in Company H's mess hall. Each man received pay for one month in addition to the time

which he had served, also travel pay to the place where he was mustered in.

At about 12 o'clock Colonel Schuyler received his discharge from the Volunteer service, and the Two Hundred and Third Regiment ceased to exist.

The Southern Railroad Company gave reduced rates to all points in the north, and opened an office in camp where the men could secure their tickets and check their baggage. A special train of three sections was provided to take the men north, the last section of which left Greenville, S. C., at 4 p. m., March 25th.

Arrangements were made by nearly all the Captains whereby their commands would be kept intact until they arrived at their respective home stations, where preparations had been made by the citizens to receive them.

During the eight months that the regiment was in the service twelve enlisted men of the regiment were commissioned Second Lieutenants to fill vacancies, and three vacancies were filled by the appointment of men who were not members of the regiment.

At least one-fourth of the officers and three-fourths of the enlisted men were seriously sick at some time during the period of their service, and nineteen deaths were recorded, which were divided among the companies as follows:

A Company, two; B, one; C, two; D, one; E, one; F, two; G, one; H, two; I, three; K, two; L, none; and M, one.

Prior to March 25th fourteen officers and one hundred and twenty men were discharged from the service. Of this number the field, staff and non-commissioned staff furnished three officers and two men; Company A, eighteen men; B, one officer and fourteen men; C, one officer and four men; D, seven men; E, two officers and fifteen men; F, four officers and eleven men; G, one officer and five men; H, one officer and eighteen men; I, one officer and eleven men; K, three men; L, seven men, and M, five men.

The Seventy-seven men who received transfers to other military organizations were divided as follows:

Non-commissioned staff, one; Company A, fourteen; B, two; C, seventeen; D, four; E, four; F, none; G, thirteen; H, one; I, five; K, one; L, twelve; and M, three.

The names of sixty men were stricken from the rolls as deserters, and they were divided among the companies as follows:

Company A, three; B, four; C, two; D, two; E, seven; F, nine; G, none; H, eight; I, six; K, eleven; L, four, and M, four.

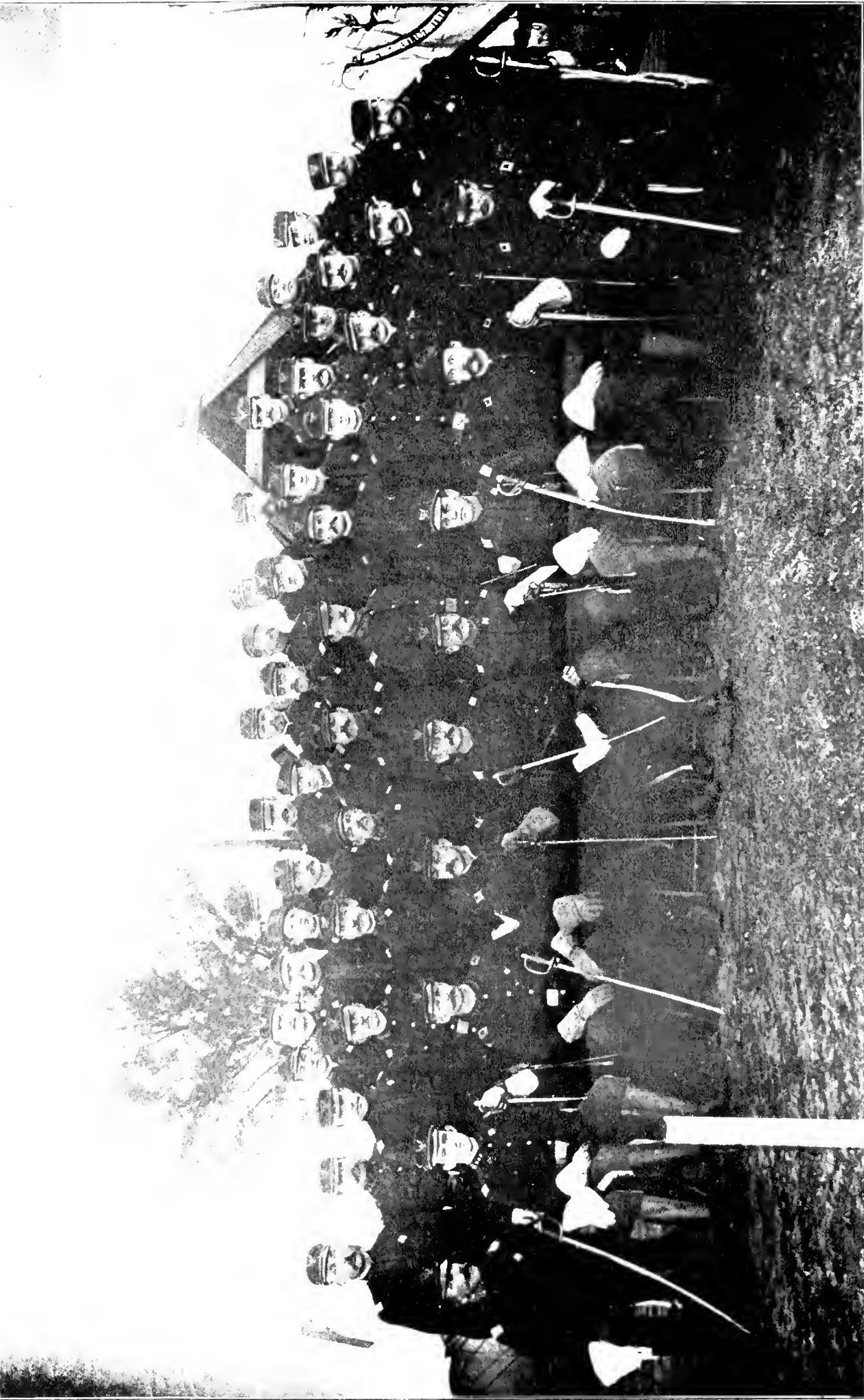
Colonel Schuyler, who, when the regiment was mustered out, returned to his position as Captain, Fifth U. S. Cavalry, has since been commissioned Colonel of Volunteers and assigned to the command of the 46th Regiment, U. S. Vols.

Major John McClintock and First Lieutenant and Adjutant Hamilton Foley were commissioned Second Lieutenants in the regular army soon after the regiment was disbanded, and the former has since been appointed Captain in the 46th Regiment, U. S. Vols.

Lieutenant-Colonel Lewis E. Goodier has re-entered the volunteer service as Major of the 38th Regiment, U. S. Vols., and First Lieutenant Stephen H. Mould has been re-appointed First Lieutenant of volunteers and assigned to the 44th Regt., U. S. Vols.

Major and Surgeon Abram L. Haynes was the first officer of the regiment to receive an appointment in the new volunteer army. He was commissioned Captain and Assistant Surgeon in the 31st Regt., United States Volunteers.

Captain Solomon Avery, Jr., First Lieutenants James G. Hannah and Dexter Sturgis and Second Lieutenant Philip S. Golderman, accepted commissions as First Lieutenants in the new volunteer army. Second Lieutenant Horace Webster has also re-entered the volunteer service a Second Lieutenant.



Commissioned Officers, 203d Regiment. Taken at Camp Wetherill, S. C., March, 1899.

ROLL

Containing the Names of All

OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN

Ever connected with the

TWO HUNDRED AND THIRD REGIMENT,

NEW YORK INFANTRY,

UNITED STATES VOLUNTEERS.



NOTE—Non-Commissioned officers were mustered in as such unless otherwise stated.

All dates given herein were taken from the Muster Out Rolls.

FIELD OFFICERS.

WALTER S. SCHUYLER, - - - - - Colonel
Mustered in July 9th, 1898.

WILLIAM CARY SANGER, - - - Lieutenant-Colonel
Mustered in July 20th, 1898. Resigned January 31st, 1899.

LEWIS E. GOODIER, - - - - Lieutenant-Colonel
Mustered in as Major July 20th, 1898. Commissioned Lieutenant-Colonel February 2nd, 1899.

JOHN McCLINTOCK, - - - - - Major
Mustered in July 22nd, 1898.

JAMES S. BOYER, - - - - - Major
Promoted from Captain E Company February 2nd, 1899.

STAFF OFFICERS.

HENRY S. CLARK, - - - First Lieutenant and Adjutant
Mustered in July 13th, 1898. Mustered out October 3, 1898.

SOLOMON AVERY, JR., - - First Lieutenant and Adjutant
Transferred from First Lieutenant I Company October 7th, 1898.
Commissioned Captain Company E February 2nd, 1899.

HAMILTON FOLEY, - - - First Lieutenant and Adjutant
Transferred from First Lieutenant E Company February 13th, 1899.

NORTON CHASE, - - First Lieutenant and Quartermaster
Mustered in July 5th, 1898. Promoted Captain September 25th,
and assigned to the command of Company F.

CHARLES R. MURRAY, - - First Lieutenant and Quartermaster
Appointed from First Lieutenant E Company September 25th, 1898.

BURTON S. BOOTH, - - - - - Major and Surgeon
Mustered in July 4th, 1898. Resigned December 1st, 1898.

ABRAM L. HAYNES, - - - - - Major and Surgeon
Mustered in as First Lieutenant and Assistant Surgeon July 5th,
1898. Commissioned Major and Surgeon December 10th, 1898.

WILLIAM A. BERGESS, - - First Lieutenant and Asst. Surgeon
Mustered in July 5th, 1898.

PERCIVAL F. DALPHIN, - - First Lieutenant and Asst. Surgeon
Appointed from First Lieutenant M Company January 12th, 1899.

ALBERT DOD MINOR, - - - - - Chaplain
Mustered in July 25th, 1898.

NON-COMMISSIONED STAFF OFFICERS.

CHARLES W. FREAR, - - - - - Sergeant-Major
Transferred from 2nd New York and appointed Sergeant-Major
July 30. Promoted Second Lieutenant and assigned to E Com-
pany October 3, 1898.

WALTER I. LYMAN, - - - - - Sergeant-Major
Appointed from Corporal E Company October 3, 1898. Promoted
Second Lieutenant and assigned to K Company February 21,
1899.

JAMES KILLOCK, - - - - - Sergeant-Major
Appointed from Corporal D Company February 27, 1899.

FRED W. FIELD, - - - - - Quartermaster-Sergeant
Appointed from Corporal A Company July 30, 1898. Promoted
Second Lieutenant November 24, 1898.

P. SAMUEL RIGNEY, - - - - - Quartermaster-Sergeant
Appointed from Q. M. Sergeant D Company December 4, 1898.

HERBERT H. ELLIS, - - - - - Hospital Steward.
Appointed from private D Company July 26, 1898.

PAUL H. WHITMARSH, - - - - - Hospital Steward
Appointed from Corporal K Company July 27, 1898. Transferred
to U. S. Hospital Corps August 27, 1898.

FRANK G. ENGELHARDT, - - - - - Hospital Steward
Appointed from Private A Company July 31, 1898.

CHARLES G. ELLIS, - - - - - Hospital Steward
Appointed from Q. M. Sergeant L Company September 15, 1898.
Discharged January 3, 1899.

LE ROY W. HICKOK, - - - - - Hospital Steward
Appointed from Corporal M Company January 24, 1899.

HARRY ALDEN, - - - - - Chief Musician
Appointed from Principal Musician July 26, 1898. Discharged
February 27, 1899.

JOSEPH DAVID, - - - - - Chief Musician
Appointed from Musician H Company February 28, 1899.

HUGH CANTWELL, - - - - - Principal Musician
Enrolled as Musician C Company. Appointed Principal Musician
July 26, 1898.

ERNEST STAMM, - - - - - Principal Musician
Enrolled as Musician L Company. Appointed Principal Musician
July 26, 1898. Reduced to the ranks October 23, 1898, and
assigned to Company A.

CARL TROST, - - - - - Principal Musician
Appointed from Private A Company November 6, 1898.

BAND.

The band was never mustered as a separate organization.

Leader—Joseph David, Chief Musician.

Drum Major—Francis J. Casey, Sergeant H Company.

Hugh Cantwell, Principal Musician. Albert F. Haven, Musician G Co.
Carl A. Trost, Principal Musician. DeWight D. Hewitt, Private E Co.
Wallace J. Bell, Private K Company. Dennis E. Hartnett, Private K Co.
Eugene A. Chilson, Musician K Co. Chauncey S. Lewis, Private I Co.
Thos. A. Downey, Private I Company Thomas J. Phillips, Private K Co.
Maxwell W. Fiero, Musician I Co. Benjamin Richards, Private G Co.
James E. Grant, Musician E Co. Frank A. Root, Musician G Co.
Charles E. Green, Musician E Co. Bert L. Williams, Private M Co.
Ray Goodfellow, Musician K Co. Raymond J. Tillotson, Musician M Co.
Wm. H. Guernsey, Private G Co.

ROLL OF A COMPANY.

141st Separate Company of Syracuse.

JOHN B. TUCK.	- - - - -	Captain
GEORGE L. BALDWIN.	- - - - -	First Lieutenant
Promoted Captain Company F, December 12, 1898.		
LOUIS H. PAYNE.	- - - - -	First Lieutenant
Promoted from Second Lieutenant I Company December 15, 1898.		
ALEXANDER D. JENNEY.	- - - - -	Second Lieutenant
Promoted First Lieutenant I Company October 20, 1898.		
PHILIP S. GOLDBERMAN.	- - - - -	Second Lieutenant
Promoted from Sergeant I Company, October 27, 1898.		
PAUL M. PAINE.	- - - - -	First Sergeant
Discharged February 2, 1899.		
JAMES H. McMAHON.	- - - - -	First Sergeant
Appointed from Sergeant vice Paine discharged.		
FRED M. SIMMONS.	- - - - -	Quartermaster-Sergeant

Sergeants.

William A. Mackenzie, Jr., discharged September 15, 1898.
Frank H. Wade, discharged September 15, 1898.
Edward Durston, died September 18, 1898.
Samuel M. Stuart, discharged November 22, 1898.
Clinton R. Keeler, appointed from Corporal, September 22, 1898.
Harry Neville, appointed from Corporal September 22, 1898.
Colin C. Mackenzie, appointed from Corporal November 27, 1898.
Clifford C. Moshier, appointed from Corporal February 22, 1899.

Corporals.

Fred W. Fields, transferred to Non-Louis H. Windholz.
Commissioned Staff July 30, 1898. Joseph C. Baker, dis. Oct. 13, '98.
Gordon H. Giddings. Paul W. Arnold, dis. Dec. 6, '98.
Arthur G. Hall, dis. Oct. 13, 1898. Charles A. Briggs, app. Sept. 22, '98.
Edward M. Bendixen, dis. Oct. 26, '98. Wm. M. Goldsmith, app. Nov. 6, '98.
Russell S. Carroll, dis. Dec. 29, '98. Albert F. Hopstein, app. Dec. 26, '98.
Cyrus F. Phillips, app. Sept. 22, '98. Isaac P. Steinberg, app. Jan. 27, '99.
Edw. J. McNamara, app. Nov. 27, '98. Elish J. D. Melhinch, app. Feb. 24, '99.
Roger L. Jones, app. Jan. 1, '99. Henry Schweizer, cook, app. Mar. 1, 1899.
Lee B. Wight, app. Feb. 16, '99.
Robt. E. Maddick, app. Mar. 1, '99.
Ernest Stamm, Musician, transferred Clayton Morse, Jr., Musician.
from N. C. S. Oct. 23, '98.
John J. Byrne, Artificer. William G. Smith, Wagoner.

Privates.

Alpetre, William F., discharged without honor Sept. 28, 1898.
Anderson, William J., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Baley, Cornelius G.
Buckingham, Clarence G., discharged October 26, 1898.
Buchner, Henry C.
Carlton, Edward C.
Campbell, Charles R., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Cleven, Endre J.
Colvin, Andrew J., transferred from First New York.
Cook, Le Roy A., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Conklin, William, Jr.
Conners, Edward J.
Creese, George.
Davis, Robert F.
Dixon, Charles E., deser. October 30, 1898.
Dohles, Leo
Dunk, William
Dunn, Hugh, transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Eckles, Charles, dis. Feb. 3, 1899.
Engelhardt, Frank G., transferred to Non-Com. Staff July 30, 1898.
Fitzpatrick, James I.
Flaherty, Michael B., discharged January 9, 1899.
Finger, Frederick, transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Freeman, William N.
Gleason, Patrick J.
Hibbard, Charles N.
Hawkins, Henry M.
Hennessey, Richard J.
Heyne, Charles I.
Hill, Frank D.
Hutchings, Frank, discharge Feb. 24, 1899.
Jolley, Chester.
Laager, Frederick, discharged Aug. 28, 1898.
Lawrence, Walter, transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Lefever, James.
Lyon, James F., discharged January 28, 1899.
Lynch, Edward D.
Millet, William N.
McCarthy, Daniel.
Murdock, George B.
Murphy, Daniel C., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Nammack, Joseph N., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Nodecker, Edward J.
O'Brien, James.
O'Brien, Charles F., deserted Dec. 21, 1898.
Olis, Frederick W., discharged Jan. 5, 1899.
Patterson, Charles G.
Pettis, Adelbert E.
Rainbow, William G.
Reed, Amos S.
Reidy, Charles A.
Reehm, Charles J.
Ronan, Daniel F., died Jan. 2, 1899.
Ryan, Dennis.
Shafer, Ray B., discharged Dec. 12, 1898.
Sellwood, Charles A. E.
Sherman, Herbert L.
Smith, Daniel A., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Smiley, Robert A., deserted July 29, 1898.
Stanton, John C.
Steele, Arthur L., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Stevens, Clarence.
Stimis, Louis L., jr.
Swanson, John E.
Terwilliger, Lewis E., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Trost, Carl A., transferred to Non-Com. Staff Nov. 6, 1898.
Wasmer, John J.
Webb, Ambrose L., discharged Oct. 26, 1898.
Walters, Frederick, transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Wallenbeck, William G., transferred to L Company July 27, 1898.
Wileox, Williard T.
Wight, Guy E., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 23, 1898.

ROLL OF B COMPANY.

4th Separate Company of Yonkers.

JOHN I. PRUYN,	- - - - -	Captain
CHARLES F. NUGENT,	- - - - -	First Lieutenant
JOHN W. ARBUCKLE,	- - - - -	Second Lieutenant
Resignation accepted October 20, 1898.		
FRED C. NORRIS,	- - - - -	Second Lieutenant
Promoted from 1st Sergeant M Company October 26, 1898.		
JOHN MARTIN,	- - - - -	First Sergeant
Discharged September 17, 1898.		
ARTHUR CHAMBERS,	- - - - -	First Sergeant
Appointed September 17, 1898. Discharged January 30, 1899.		
PETER SOJTEMON,	- - - - -	First Sergeant
Appointed January 31, 1899. Discharged February 20, 1899.		
GEORGE W. REYNOLDS,	- - - - -	First Sergeant
Appointed February 22, 1899.		
JULIUS RIVINUS,	- - - - -	Quartermaster-Sergeant
Reduced to the ranks at his own request, December 2, 1898.		
ALBERT C. BOGART,	- - - - -	Quartermaster-Sergeant
Appointed December 4, 1898. Discharged February 4, 1899.		
PITT M. SKIPTON,	- - - - -	Quartermaster-Sergeant
Appointed from Private February 7, 1899.		

Sergeants.

John M. Quillan, discharged January 20, 1899.
 John Herald, appointed from Corporal January 1, 1899.
 James F. Gilson, appointed from Corporal January 27, 1899.
 Frank G. Rowe, appointed from Corporal February 7, 1899.
 Winfield S. Soetemon, reduced at his own request and re-appointed
 March 1, 1899.

Corporals.

Daniel F. Fulton, dis. Sept. 22, '98.	John J. Murphy, dis. Feb. 1, '99.
James M. Percival, dis. Feb. 20, '99.	Clyde F. Knapp, app. Dec. 4, '98.
Sidney F. Medina, app. Dec. 22, '98.	Allen C. McDonell, app. Jan. 1, '99.
Frederick Rafferty, app. Jan. 18, '99.	Michael Buckley, app. Jan. 27, '99.
Arthur F. Eichorn, app. Jan. 27, '99.	Chas. H. Buckley, app. Feb. 7, '99.
Walton D. Bertine, app. Mar. 3, '99.	Irving L. Hubbell, app. Mar. 3, '99.
John Barry, app. Mar. 3, 1899.	Wm. H. Shreiber, app. Mar. 5, '98.
John Henry Cook, app. Jan. 18, '99.	

Winfield Rowley, Musician, deserted Sept. 19, 1898.	Frank Fox, Musician. George F. Bruce, Musician.
Bart W. Walsh, Artificer.	James P. Light, Wagoner.

Privates.

Arthur, William	Haffner, John
Allmers, Rudolph	Hughes, William F., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 27, 1898.
Ayer, William O.	Jeroloman, George
Benedict, George	Johnson, James
Bowers, John	Kerwin, William J.
Branley, George	Kniffin, Harry
Brown, William	Koch, Henry W., dis. Nov. 6, '98.
Bruce, John	Kowalsky, John
Bussin, Joseph D.	Kruder, George A.
Bouchart, Frank J.	Kinlan, Thomas J.
Calkauf, Oscar, dis. Jan. 2, '99.	Lupton, Joseph E.
Campbell, James F.	McCabe, Edgar
Carrington, Thomas J.	Macauley, Thomas B.
Carton, Richard	McGee, Patrick A.
Clark, Edward J.	McKeon, Daniel
Conroy, James H.	Madigan, Edward
Daly, John	Nugent, Howard R., dis. Jan. 10, '99.
Davis, John	Ormond, Thomas F.
Delaney, Joseph	Otis, Harry
Doll, Frederick J.	Penfield, Percy A.
Downey, Joseph	Pittman, William
Eimer, John J.	Potter, Austin C.
Farrell, Frank, deserted Aug. 20, '98	Revinus, Julius, dis. Jan. 3, '99.
Fleming, Michael	Roberts, John H.
Forstschbeck, Frank, deserted Oct. 21, 1898.	Roos, Frederick
Foran, John J.	Robar, Julius H.
Frank, Rudolph, dis. Jan. 3, '99.	Seery, James J.
Frese, Louis	Shanley, Samuel
Gilson, John J.	Sinn, William
Gillis, Joseph, des. Oct. 23, '98.	Spaulding, John W.
Grieve, Alexander C. dis. Nov. 16, 1898.	Spinnett, Charles P.
Granthom, Frank P.	Thauser, Gilbert, transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 27, 1898.
Harris, Mandel	Thompson, Sidney, died Sept. 7, 1898.
Heine, George	Thorson, Jacob
Henderson, Robert E.	Volstnick, Harry
Henry, Leonard J.	Walsh, John M.
Hertell, Frank	

ROLL OF C COMPANY.

46th Separate Company of Amsterdam.

EDWARD P. WHITE,	-	-	-	-	-	-	Captain
FRANK B. EDWARDS,	-	-	-	-	-	-	First Lieutenant
JOHN J. CALLAHAN,	-	-	-	-	-	-	Second Lieutenant
Promoted First Lieutenant and assigned to H. Company September 3, 1898.							
DUNCAN C. LEE,	-	-	-	-	-	-	Second Lieutenant
Promoted from Sergeant M. Company, September 3, 1898. Discharged October 21, 1898.							
HORACE WEBSTER,	-	-	-	-	-	-	Second Lieutenant
Commissioned November 6, 1898.							
RIONALDO R. WOOD,	-	-	-	-	-	-	First Sergeant
Promoted Second Lieutenant and assigned to I Company, December 12, 1898.							
FRANK B. STEARNS,	-	-	-	-	-	-	First Sergeant
Appointed from Sergeant December 22, 1898.							
JOHN G. STEVENSON,	-	-	-	-	-	-	Quartermaster-Sergeant
Died October 1, 1898.							
JAMES D. O'HARA,	-	-	-	-	-	-	Quartermaster-Sergeant
Appointed from Private October 11, 1898.							

Sergeants.

William E. Gengel, discharged February 6, 1899.
 Josiah Myres.
 Arthur J. Martin, appointed from Corporal August 6, 1898.
 Henry C. Fox, appointed from Corporal December 22, 1898.
 Nicholas J. Johannes, appointed from Corporal January 11, 1899.

Corporals.

Edward L. Blume.	Archie Mudge.
John F. Morell.	John W. Boyd.
Calvin J. Lighthart, app. Aug. 1, '98.	Peter Grassman.
transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps August 26, 1898.	John H. Plumpton, died Oct. 20, '98.
Frank H. Staley, cook, app. Sept. 15, 1898.	Chas. E. Pettis, app. Sept. 15, '98.
Sylvester S. Lanning, app. Mar. 1, '99	John W. Racklyeft, app. Sept. 2, '98.
Joseph C. Wolf, app. March 6, 1899.	Garret W. Birges, app. Dec. 22, '98.
	Amos O. Lenk, app. Mar. 1, '99.
	Michael J. Leary, app. Mar. 16, '99.
Hugh R. Cantwell, Musician, transferred to N. C. S., July 26, '98.	

Harold P. Beckett, Musician.

James Tighe, Musician.

John A. Mayer, Artificer.

Daniel McCarthy, Wagoner.

Privates.

Arndt, Albert S., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, '98.	Little William, transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Anderson, John, transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, '98.	McDermott, John
Baker, Felix W.	McLaren, Alexander, transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Barringer, Emerson	McGillan, Thomas F., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Benedict, Horace, transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.	McQuade, James J.
Brennan, Thomas P., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.	Mantor, George, transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Bramble, Arthur.	Mills, William
Brannan, Patrick F.	Murphy, Bernard
Burke, Edward, des. Aug. 25, '98.	Nellis, Delbert C. died Oct. 17, '98.
Banerle, Leon	Oldeck, Henry
Chadwick, Charles A., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.	Pfiehl, August
Clark, George B.	Quinn, Joseph, died Oct. 2, '98.
Coleman, Thomas J.	Radway, Robert H.
Cooper, George M.	Reardon, Edward W., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Coughlin, Cornelius	Reed, Edward S.
Deal, Delbert	Rich, Charles
Delong, Warren	Rockwell, Menzo W.
Dammer, Robert P.	Rohrig, Albert
Devoe, William J.	Röwe, Curtis D. discharged Jan. 9, 1899.
Dodge, Harry A.	Schmidt, Louis
Douglass, Charles F., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.	Shaefer, Charles D.
Edwards, Glenn	Shannon, Matthew, transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Farley, James F.	Smith, Edward A.
Flaherty, Simeon J.	Smith, James H.
Forristal, James.	Smith, John P.
Freeman, Frank A.	Smith, Louis M.
Goettel, Adam	Sullivan, Charles, discharged without honor Nov. 5, 1898.
Gonrlay, Robert R., des. Oct. 20, '98	Sutter, Jacob
Haefner, Charles L., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.	Thurlow, Henry L.
Hammersmith, Joseph, transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, '98.	Valentine, Elmer J. dis. Aug. 28, '98.
Heffner, Frederick F., jr.	Von Olinda, William H.
Hinds, Thomas	Watson, George A.
Hyde, George L.	Whitlock, John A., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Keracek, Charles	Will, Lambert G.
Knout, John P.	Wildridge, George G.
Kreitzer, Eberhardt	Wright, William E.
Latham, Andrew L.	Yoeckle, John F., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
La Rouche, William C.	
Leigh, James H.	

ROLL OF D COMPANY.

10th Separate Company of Newburgh.

WILLIAM G. HUNTER.	- - - - -	Captain
STEPHEN H. MOULD.	- - - - -	First Lieutenant
ARTHUR G. ACKERT.	- - - - -	Second Lieutenant
ADAM B. JAEGER.	- - - - -	First Sergeant
Promoted Second Lieutenant and assigned to F Company Feb. 21.		
JOSEPH M. PINE.	- - - - -	First Sergeant
Appointed from Sergeant March 1st, 1899.		
P. SAMUEL RIGNEY.	- - - - -	Quartermaster-Sergeant
Appointed Regimental Q. M. Sergeant December 4th, 1898.		
WILLIAM M. WISE.	- - - - -	Quartermaster-Sergeant
Appointed from Corporal January 1st, 1899.		

Sergeants.

J. Edward Taylor.
 Clarence C. Burk, discharged January 7th, 1899.
 Claud S. Hedges, discharged January 7th, 1899.
 Frank S. McConnell, appointed from Corporal March 1, 1899.
 Albert J. Dixon, app. Corporal Sept. 15, app. from Corporal January 1.
 Robert L. Cleland, appointed from Corporal March 1, 1899.

Corporals.

William E. Russell.	Andrew B. Westervelt.
James K. Eckert.	Clark A. Pellett.
Samuel Smelsey, transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, '98.	James Killock, app. Sept. 15, 1898, app. Sergeant Major Feb. 27, '99.
Howard W. Smith, app. Sept. 15, '98.	John H. Cornell, app. Jan. 1, '99.
William J. Lorch, app. Jan. 1, '99.	Renwick T. Peterson, app. Jan. 1, '99.
Charles B. Tagart, app. Jan. 1, '99.	Rutherford B. Wilson, app. Mar. 1, 1899.
Robert Rainey, Jr., app. Mar. 1, '99.	William J. Bohan, app. Jan. 1, '99.
John J. Tice, cook, app. Jan. 1, '99.	
William H. Bockleman, Musician.	Charles A. Baker, Musician.
Arthur Weir, Artificer.	Morgan S. Lent, Wagoner.

Privates.

Barrillas, Ernest, mustered in July 30, 1898.	Lehn, Joseph A.
Barrett, John S.	Lorch, John H.
Baxter, Warren J.	Lord, Joseph A., dis. Dec. 15, '98.
Beers, Lester R.	McCabe, Eugene
Boyd, William	McCabe, Herbert
Brady, Eugene J.	McClean, William, transferred to U. S. Hospital Corps Aug. 26, '98.
Buchanan, Louis R.	Medino, Louis
Buchanan, John D.	Minnerly, Albert
Becker, Walter S., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, '98.	Mitchell, David V. D.
Burger, Ralph	Monsees, George
Burnett, George P.	Moody, Charles W.
Burton, Herbert V.	Moorhead, Robert H., dis. Dec. 28, 1898.
Cherry, John R.	Murray, James F.
Cleland, George A.	Nestell, George N.
Cox, Edward A.	Nicholson, Frank, deserted August 26, 1898.
Cook, Thomas J., dis. Jan. 16, '98.	Ostrander, Wm. R., died Oct. 3, '98.
Crum, Theodore A.	O'Brien, Walter F.
Davis, James E.	Odell, Benjamin F., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, '98.
Driscoll, Michael J.	Pfleger, Frank
Dunn, Edward	Pierce, Henry B., deserted Oct. 15, 1898.
Ellis, Herbert H. app. Hosp. Steward July 26, 1898.	Pope, George A.
Feeter, Silas S.	Purdey, William E., dis. Aug. 26, '98.
Federman, Charles E.	Rudman, William
Fountain, Jesse T.	Russell, George A.
Gatfield, George	Ryan, William E.
Gauquie, Charles	Seibert, George F.
Green, Fred N.	Slater, George J.
Hays, Archibald	Smith, William R.
Healey, John J.	Stevenson, George W.
Hedges, Ira M.	Syleox, Edward L.
Heller, Max G.	Taggart, Nathaniel D.
Henshall, William E.	Townsend, Merritt G.
Hunter, George E.	Treen, William H.
Hyde, William	Van Duzer, Albert B. dis. Oct. 22, '98.
Jacobs, Arlington C.	Wakeman, Henry W.
Jerome, Ray	Wilson, James
Kavanaugh, William T.	Woods, Robert D.
Keefe, David	
Keowen, Daniel F.	
Lant, John D.	

ROLL OF E COMPANY.

39th Separate Company, Watertown.

JAMES S. BOYER, - - - - - Captain
Promoted Major February 2nd, 1899.

SOLOMON AVERY, JR., - - - - - Captain
Promoted from First Lieutenant and Adjutant February 2nd, 1899.

CHARLES R. MURRAY, - - - - - First Lieutenant
Appointed Quartermaster September 25th, 1898.

HAMILTON FOLEY, - - - - - First Lieutenant
Commissioned Sept. 29, 1898. Appointed Adjutant Feb. 13, 1899.

CHARLES VROOMAN, - - - - - First Lieutenant
Promoted from Second Lieutenant K Company February 22, 1899.

GEORGE W. CLODWICK, - - - - - Second Lieutenant
Resigned September 21, 1898.

CHARLES W. FREAR, - - - - - Second Lieutenant
Promoted from Sergeant-Major Oct. 3, 1898. Resigned Nov. 11, 1898.

ANTON H. SCHROETER, - - - - - Second Lieutenant
Promoted from First Sergeant L Company November 21, 1898.

JOHN M. IRWIN, - - - - - First Sergeant.
Promoted Second Lieutenant and assg. to F Company Oct. 26, 1898.

WALTER T. KING, - - - - - First Sergeant
Appointed from Sergeant December 10, 1898.

WILLIAM J. HILLING, - - - - - Quartermaster-Sergeant

Sergeants.

George LeRoy Traver, promoted Second Lieutenant and assigned to H Company August 3, 1898.

John T. Lepper.

Ellis A. Robertson.

Claude D. Carter, appointed from Corporal October 27, 1898.

Bruce M. Allair, appointed from Corporal December 26, 1898.

Corporals.

John M. Weeks, discharged Sept. 20 1898. Harrison J. Angley.
Frank S. Dewey.

Clinton J. Bishop. James L. Phillips.

Joel G. Hanes. Bernard J. A. Redmond.

Willard W. Puffer. F. W. Tucker.

Allen D. Seaver. Charles J. Felt, app. Dec. 26, '98.

Walter I. Lyman, app. Sept., 1898; transferred to N. C. S. Oct. 3, '98. Andrew J. Dewey, app. Jan. 18, '99.
Oscar Thomas, app. Mar. 1, '99.

Ora E. Boynton, app. Mar. 1, '99.

James E. Grant, Musician.

Charles E. Green, Musician.

Frank Raskin, Artificer, discharged

John C. Crusot, Artificer.

February 9, '99.

Edward T. Moran, Wagoner.

Privates.

Andrews, Albert G.

Bailey, William M.

Baldwin, Charles D.

Bell, Henry W.

Brace, William

Bradshaw, Ezra C., deserted Oct.
21, 1898.

Bretch, Floyd H., discharged Feb.
2, 1899.

Burns, John A.

Bush, John, dis. Feb. 10, '99.

Carey, U. S. Grant

Carseallan, William

Chase, Charles, transferred to U. S.
Hosp. Corps Aug. 22, 1898.

Cole, Marshall W., transferred to U.
S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.

Collins, George T.

Cook, John J.

Delaney, Michael

Dobbs, John W.

Dougherty, Charles R.

Dunning, Bradford, transferred to U.
S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.

Englehart, Edmond F., discharged
January 25, 1899.

Enright, Edward J.

Folsom, George M.

Gaffney, Michael A., discharged Dec.
20, 1898.

Green, Edward J.

Geohl, George J.

Gordon, Matthew, deserted October
21, 1898.

Grant, Fred S.

Harris, Coe E.

Hawley, Ulysses, des. Oct. 21, '98

Hewitt, DeWight D.

Holden, Benjamin M., died Aug. 29,
1898.

Houck, Samuel S., des. Oct. 21, '98.

Hungerford, George M.

Hibbard, William O.

Jones, Alfred B.

Juno, William

July, Fred W., dis. Feb. 15, '98

Keefe, Edward

Kellogg, Charles F.

Kirk, John E.

Lasher, Fred A., dis. Nov. 16, '98.

Leonard, Frank T.

Marks, Frank

Martin, Fred, des. Oct. 21, '98.

Martin, Edward, des. Oct. 21, '98.

Masker, Alva

McDonald, Alfred

McDonald, Allen, dis. Jan. 25, '99.

Montondo, William S.

Naphan, Michael J.

Nolan, Philip H.

Osborne, James W.

Parkinson, Robert A. dis. Nov. 16, '98

Paul, Ruben

Quinn, Joseph B.

Quinn, John B., transferred to U. S.
Hosp. Corps Dec. 12, 1898.

Robotham, Edward J.

Ross, Ellwood B., dis. Oct. 7, '98.

Savage, Thomas J.

Seeley, James W., dis. Nov. 8, '98.

Smith, Alfred J.

Smith, Burton C.

Smith, Marvin L.

Standley, Arthur C.

Standley, Edwin S.

Stack, John P.

Stone, Frank M.

Taskett, Herbert H.

Teepell, Wilfred D.

Timmerman, J. A.

Van Luyen, Waldron G.

Van Nort, Charles S.

Waite, Floyd C., dis. Oct. 1, '98.

Walker, George S.

Ward, Fred D.

Wilcox, Frank F.

Wiscott, Edward J., dis. Jan. 13, '99.

Yeomans, George F., dis. Dec. 22, '98.

ROLL OF F COMPANY.

17th Separate Company of Flushing.

JOHN F. KLEIN, - - - - - Captain
Resigned September 3, 1898.

NORTON CHASE, - - - - - Captain
Promoted from Quartermaster September 25th, and resigned November 7th, 1898.

GEORGE L. BALDWIN, - - - - - Captain
Promoted from First Lieutenant A Company December 12th, 1898.

GEORGE T. C. SEXTON, - - - - - First Lieutenant
Resigned December 7th, 1898.

GEORGE LE ROY TRAVER, - - - - - First Lieutenant
Promoted from Second Lieutenant H Company December 7th, 1898.

THOMAS J. DOOLEY, - - - - - Second Lieutenant
Resigned October 1st, 1898.

JOHN M. IRWIN, - - - - - Second Lieutenant
Promoted from First Sergeant E Company October 26th, 1898.
Appointed First Lieutenant M Company February 21st, 1899.

ADAM B. JAEGER, - - - - - Second Lieutenant
Promoted from First Sergeant D Company February 21st, 1899.

ALFRED J. TOOKER, - - - - - First Sergeant
Discharged October 23rd, 1898.

CHARLES A. RICHARDS, - - - - - First Sergeant
Appointed from Sergeant October 27th, 1898.

RICHARD H. BROWN, - - - - - Quartermaster-Sergeant
Discharged October 23rd, 1898.

OSCAR NEIDHARDT, - - - - - Quartermaster-Sergeant
Appointed from Corporal October 29th, 1898.

Sergeants.

Daniel F. Kennedy, discharged November 29th, 1898.

William Flattich.

Louis B. Walker, appointed from Corporal November 30, 1898.

Washington I. Donaldson, appointed from Corporal February 22, 1899.

James W. Chapman, appointed from Corporal October 29, 1898.

Spencer M. Johnstone, appointed from Corporal Jan. 9, 1899, and discharged February 6th, 1899.

Corporals.

Henry Martin.	Seth W. Kelley.
Daniel J. Donahue, app. Oct. 27, '98.	Adolphus Laurencelle, app. Nov. 27.
Edward Rogers, app. Nov. 27, '98.	Robert Hepburn, app. Feb. 22, '99.
Albert M. Crandall, app. Feb. 22, '99	William E. O'Neill, app. Feb. 22.
William H. F. Griep, app. Feb. 22, '99	Frederick Pruss, app. Mar. 1, '99.
Samuel Johnstone, app. Mar. 1, '99.	Dennis J. Betteke, app. Mar. 1, '99.
	Henry Bize, cook, app. Nov. 27, '98.

Joseph A. Lapp, Musician, dis. Jan. 30, 1899. W. H. DeBouckalaere, Musician.

John J. Ryan, Musician.

Eugene McKenty, Artificer.

James F. Sloan, Wagoner.

Privates.

Adams, James A., des. Sept. 9, '98.
Anderson, Robert S.
Baush, William
Barrett, Eugene, deserted October 14, 1898.
Bender, Henry
Berger, Charles
Bligh, Frank H.
Bogardt, John H.
Boll, Charles A.
Braun, Peter
Canfield, Frederick H., deserted Aug. 17, 1898.
Campion, Edward P.
Cooney, Patrick F.
Crawford, Harry, deserted October 3, 1898.
Cordts, Edward
Daley, James F., discharged Feb. 23, 1899.
Dooley, Charles O.
Doscher, A. J.
Doyle, Joseph
Dunn, Patrick J.
Easton, Richard H.
Elliott, Walter S.
Finck, Jacob
Finn, Michael
Fleckstein, George G.
Flynn, Bernard
Frankford, Louis
Geddies, Albert H.
Gibbons, Edward J.
Hartmann, Casper
Henderson, James A.
Hickey, Thomas, deserted Sept. 4, 1898.
Hickson, John
Holmes, Thomas A.
James, Hilton H.
Johnston, George W.
Jordan, James F.
Knapp, Edward B.
Krenzberger, Adolph
McCormick, Edward L.

McGee, John J.
McHenry, Robert M.
McNamara, John J.
McNamara, Thos., discharged Sept. 20th, 1898.
Middleton, James
Murray, John J., deserted October 19th, 1898.
Murphy, Philip E.
Murphy, Michael
Noble, Thomas A., deserted October 15th, 1898.
Orr, Henry C., deserted October 8th, 1898.
Petit, Thomas F.
Pfeiffer, Frank C.
Pierce, Bernard J.
Powers, William
Renner, Louis C.
Reynolds, James F., discharged December 3rd, 1898.
Rock, Lawrence
Schaeffer, Louis J.
Schepp, Joseph
Schneckenberger, August
Searls, John W., died Feb. 8th, 1899.
Shannon, Louis
Slavin, Frank C.
Schauer, Jacob
Sweeney, John J.
Stead, Frank, discharged February 14th, 1899.
Teehan, John A.
Thompson, John P.
Todd, Thomas N., Jr.
Travers, John P.
Valdes, Joseph M., discharged Mar. 1st, 1899.
Walsh, John J.
Walton, William, des. Nov. 10, '98.
Wiseman, Robert C.
Wild, Louis
Witt, Ernest J. P., discharged Feb. 4th, 1899.
Williams, George H.
Wisner, Frank L.

ROLL OF G COMPANY.

28th Separate Company, of Utica.

CHARLES S. UOSPERGH	- - - - -	Captain
WILLIAM M. REMMER,	- - - - -	First Lieutenant
GEORGE J. WINSLOW,	- - - - -	Second Lieutenant
Discharged November 12, 1898.		
FRED W. FIELD,	- - - - -	Second Lieutenant
Promoted from Regimental Quartermaster Sergeant Nov. 24, 1898.		
GOSS L. STRYKER,	- - - - -	First Sergeant
Commissioned Second Lieutenant and assigned to H Company December 14th, 1898.		
JOHN H. BLAIR,	- - - - -	First Sergeant
Appointed from Sergeant January 1st, 1899.		
HENRY W. KOMMER,	- - - - -	Quartermaster-Sergeant

Sergeants.

Charles F. Lane.
Charles F. Schmitt,
Lucian D. Lacey, appointed from Corporal Sept. 24th, 1898.
Arthur W. Pringle, appointed from Corporal January 1, 1899.

Corporals.

John F. Cobb, transferred to U. S.	Edward J. Flynn.
Hosp. Corps Aug. 26th, 1898.	Charles F. Beck.
Eugene A. Nellis, transferred to U.	John G. Manney, app. Sept. 24, '98.
S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26th, 1898.	George A. Burger, app. Sept. 24, '98.
Leslie W. Ross.	John T. Ward, app. Jan. 19, '99.
Francis J. Casey, transferred to H	James M. Quinn, app. Jan. 19, '99.
Company Dec. 7th, 1898.	Edward F. Schiffer, app. Jan. 19, '99.
Edward J. Burke, app. Sept. 24, '98.	Maurice J. Sullivan, app. Jan. 26, '99.
Glenn P. Cole, app. Jan. 1, '99.	John F. Doyle, app. Feb. 24, '99.
Nicholas J. Phelan, cook.	
Albert F. Haven, Musician.	Frank A. Root, Musician.
Charles A. Adrian, Artificer.	Jacob Burger, Wagoner.

Privates.

Andrus, De Villo	Hennessey, Michael V.
Bailey, Arthur	Hinckley, William J.
Barber, Calvin E.	Jones, Owen E.
Beebe, Walter, transferred to U. S.	Jordan, John F.
Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.	Jordan, Michael J.
Bennett, Thomas J.	Kelley, John F.
Berge, Wellington E.	Kirk, Barber E., discharged Sept. 2,
Bookberger, Louis F.	1898.
Briethaup, Fred L., discharged Feb.	Krum, William R., transferred to U.
Sth, 1899.	S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Brookman, Charles J.	Lane, Albert r.
Buhler, George A.	Leddy, Joseph C.
Burke, Thomas J.	Leonard, H. P.
Campbell, John F.	Luley, Henry
Carlstran, Edward	McCaffery, Herbert D., transferred
Carr, Charles H.	to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Coughlin, William J.	McClelland, R. C.
Coub, Adelbert	Malloy, John J.
Davenport, Albert W., discharged	Merry, Carlton W.
February 10, 1899.	Miller, Archie R.
DeLina, Anthony	Mitchell, Charles C.
Dillon, Edwin C.	Morris, Robert T.
Duffy, John J.	Murtaugh, C. J.
Duff, John G.	Nash, Edwin L.
Egger, Ernest, discharged March 6,	Owen, Milton E.
1899.	Orcott, George A.
Farley, Thomas	Piper, Charles W.
Ferguson, Herbert R.	Rooney, William E., transferred to
Flynn, Martin A.	U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Foster, Fred C.	Rowe, Walter E.
Fox, William J.	Reinhardt, William F.
Fuller, Charles D.	Richards, Benjamin
Gardner, William S., transferred to	Schug, Nicholas J., died Sept. 29, '98.
U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 22, 1898.	Sorensen, Frank
Gaymond, George A.	Sebastian, Fred G.
Gallager, Edward P.	Shanley, John F.
Gersley, Samuel F., transferred to	Schoenlefer, B. M.
U. S. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.	Sheehan, William B.
Gibbons, David P.	Skinner, Justin R., discharged Jan.
Guernsey, Will H.	20, 1899.
Gortoh, Charles	Stanton, Michael H.
Greenia, Fred H., transferred to U.	Sunderland, Thomas A., transferred
S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 22, 1898.	to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Herbert, Arthur L.	Trenham, William H.
Hall, Joseph, transferred to Company	Tritsch, George H., transferred to
L Aug. 6, 1898.	U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Mammond, Edward P., transferred to	Tucker, Charles
U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.	Underhill, Frank R.
Havens, Miles A., transferred to U.	
S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.	

ROLL OF H COMPANY.

40th Separate Company of Ogdensburg.

MARTIN BOVARD,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Captain
DENNIS B. LUCEY,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	First Lieutenant
Resigned August 31, 1898.								
JOHN J. CALLANAN,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	First Lieutenant
Promoted from Second Lieutenant C Company September 3, 1898.								
GEORGE LE ROY TRAVER,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Second Lieutenant
Promoted from Sergeant E Company August 3, 1898. Commissioned								
First Lieutenant F Company December 12, 1898.								
GOSS L. STRYKER,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Second Lieutenant
Promoted from First Sergeant G Company December 15, 1898.								
JAMES T. AKIN,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	First Sergeant
Discharged November 3, 1898.								
HERMON J. DONOVAN,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	First Sergeant
Appointed from Sergeant November 15, 1898.								
WILDRIDG H. GORMAN,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Quartermaster-Sergeant
Discharged November 3, 1898.								
ARTHUR MANDEVILLE,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Quartermaster-Sergeant
Appointed from Corporal November 9, 1898.								

Sergeants.

Sidney D. Wilgus, discharged October 20, 1898.
Orman Fetterly, discharged February 10, 1899.
Robert J. Embleton.
George V. Wagner.
Fred Glenn, appointed from Corporal November 6, 1898.
Francis J. Casey, transferred from G Company and appointed Mar. 1, '99.

Corporals.

Louis O. Dingus, dis. Oct. 27, '98.	Lawrence A. Critenden, dis. Dec. 5, 1898.
Harvey R. Wallace, dis. Dec. 13, '98.	
Harry E. Dewsnap.	Charles H. Fetterly, dis. Feb. 10, '99.
Joseph Boyle, app. Dec. 5, '98.	Charles Drechsel, app. Sept. 5, '98.
Albert Sanjule, app. Dec. 26, '98.	Arthur Lambert, app. Dec. 5, '98.
Andrew Weatherstone, app. Jan. 9, 1899.	Edward Melody, app. Dec. 26, '98.
	Michael Asher, app. Jan. 9, '99.
Howard J. Dexter, app. Mar. 1, '99.	Edward Mahar, app. Mar. 1, 1899.
Robert P. Clark, app. Mar. 1, '99.	Samuel M. Vines, app. Mar. 1, '99.
Alexander Setree, app. Mar. 1, '99.	George J. Van Brunt, app. Mar. 11, 1899.

Joseph David, Musician, transferred to N. C. S. Feb. 28, '99.	John J. Boyle, Musician.
Isaac Dawson, Artificer.	Thomas J. Meyers, Musician.
	William R. Sherman, Wagoner.

Privates.

Andrews, Harry G., deserted Novem- ber 15, 1898.	Jones, Samuel
Anderson, Theodore	Jordan, George
Beane, Russell, deserted October 2, 1898.	Kammer, Henry
Benson, Clarence E.	Keeler, Richard J.
Bennett, George D., deserted Oct. 2, 1898.	Klink, Edward
Benway, Charles A.	Lefebvre, Joseph
Black, Allen, deserted Oct. 19, '98.	Leichtman, Edward
Burke, John J.	Longwell, David S.
Brown, Siras	Leisenheimer, Philip
Cole, Louis Mc., discharged August 28, 1898.	Lynch, Joseph H., discharged Nov. 6, 1898.
Cohen, Louis	McKenna, Peter
Corbett, James J.	McPhee, Ernest
Crabbe, Charles T.	McEvilly, Thomas J.
DeLant, Joseph	McPhee, James, deserted Aug. 18, '98.
DeMaille, Gus, deserted Oct. 19, '98.	Mahla, Joseph
DeRouch, John F.	Maloney, John H.
Donahue, Cornelius	Matheisen, Gerhart F.
Doyle, Edward	Melody, Joseph H.
Durkin, David	Mulligan, William J.
Duffy, Frank, deserted Oct. 19, '98.	O'Neill, John, discharged Jan. 17, '99.
Duncan, David, transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.	Ousternout, Fred D.
Eberhardt, Henry	Petey, Theodore
Ellis, Allen	Raymond, Arthur
Fisher, Charles	Ryan, Albert
Finkenburg, Simon, discharged Jan. 5, 1899.	Schmidt, Christopher J., died Oct. 9, 1898.
Gaffney, Thomas J.	Schneider, Charles J.
Gosper, George	Seitz, Fred
Grady, Edward J.	Squires, Robert M., deserted Sept. 20, 1898.
Hagan, William	Sefort, James
Haggerty, James	Stack, Herold M., discharged Dec. 7, 1898.
Harkness, William	Tarpy, James E.
Heibendahl, Edward	Turnico, Frank
Hoover, Frank	White, Charles L., discharged Jan. 20, 1899.
Hynes, James T., discharged without honor March 18, 1899.	Willi, Jacob, discharged Jan. 31, '99.
Jacobs, Samuel, discharged Sept. 19, 1898.	Wood, Frank
	Woodside, Charles M., discharged without honor Dec. 23, 1898.

ROLL OF I COMPANY,

23d Separate Company of Hudson.

RICHARD C. PAYNE,	- - - - -	Captain
SOLOMON AVERY, JR.,	- - - - -	First Lieutenant
Appointed Adjutant October 7th, 1898.		
ALEXANDER D. JENNEY,	- - - - -	First Lieutenant
Promoted from Second Lieutenant A Company October 27, 1898.		
Resigned December 3rd, 1898.		
JOHN C. BROWN,	- - - - -	First Lieutenant
Commissioned January 5th, 1899.		
LOUIS H. PAYNE,	- - - - -	Second Lieutenant
Commissioned First Lieutenant A Company December 15th, 1898.		
RINALDO R. WOOD,	- - - - -	Second Lieutenant
Promoted from First Sergeant C Company December 15th, 1898.		
JOHN C. DARDESS,	- - - - -	First Sergeant
Discharged October 20th, 1898.		
CHARLES F. ALGER,	- - - - -	First Sergeant
Appointed from Sergeant October 28th, 1898.		
GRANT MILLER,	- - - - -	Quartermaster-Sergeant
Discharged November 9th, 1898.		
JOSEPH GUERTON,	- - - - -	Quartermaster-Sergeant
Appointed from Private December 6, 1898.		

Sergeants.

Philip S. Golderman, appointed Second Lieutenant and assigned to A Company October 27th, 1898.
Edwin S. Toby.
John A. Fitzgerald.
George B. Waterman, appointed from Corporal October 28th, 1898.
Frank S. Clapper, appointed from Corporal December 7th, 1898.

Corporals.

Edwin F. Abbett, discharged Feb. 22nd, 1899.	Byron Parker, Jr.
Charles W. Clapper.	Harry B. Seymour.
William Melius.	Charles W. Hawyer.
William M. Brocksbank.	Augustus L. Hardwick.
Alexander W. Macy.	John Hildreth, app. Feb. 7, '99.
Fred W. Spencer.	Myron H. Shirtz, app. Mar. 6, '99.
	Philip Reardon, app. Mar. 6, '99.
Maxwell Fiero, Musician.	Roy W. Blackman, Musician.
Edward Elmer, Artificer.	Philip Lanster, Wagoner.

Privates.

Arta, Paul	Martin, Paul, transferred to U. S.
Arman, Tony	Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Belcher, Charles L.	Maloy, Fred
Beston, Michael	Morris, George R., discharged Feb.
Burke, Thomas J.	10, 1899.
Coons, Fred R.	Musante, Bartholomew
Christian, Charles F., discharged	Moore, William J., discharged Aug.
August 30th, 1898.	30, 1898.
Cuffman, Edward	Murphy, James, transferred to U. S.
Dangermond, Arthur	Hosp. Corps Nov. 21, 1898.
Decker, William S.	Nicholas, Fred N.
DeGroat, Charles E.	Noble, Ernest W.
Dougherty, John F.	O'Neill, Charles
Dinehart, Henry A., discharged Feb.	Parker, Frank N., died Sept. 22, '98.
7, 1899.	Potts, James E., discharged Mar. 8,
Drott, Ambrose J.	1899.
Downey, Thomas A.	Priest, Raymond M.
Dwyer, Patrick, transferred to U.	Pulver, Frank
S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.	Quance, Edward L.
Ewing, Henry O.	Reynolds, Theodore J., died Oct. 21,
Farety, James J.	1898.
Felter, William B.	Reynolds, Harry C., discharged Jan.
Felter, Abram	7, 1899.
Fonda, Frank R.	Rider, Clarence
Ford, Frank	Rice, Walter C., died Oct. 27, '98.
Fynaut, Peter	Risley Horatio
Garry, John F.	Riggs, Charles A., discharged October
Gee, George	15, 1898.
Goodfellow, Wesley	Rodmon, David
Halbritter, John	Round, Arthur, deserted Sept. 5, '98.
Hallenbeck, Herbert, deserted Sept.	Russ, Frank
6, 1898.	Sackett, Howard
Hallenbeck, Charles A.	Sausbier, William F.
Hodges, Frederick M., discharged	Shay, William H.
October 25, 1898.	Shavor, Harry H., discharged Dec.
Hurst, John F.	22, 1898.
Hernance, Edward, deserted October	Shepperd, Charles F.
19, 1898.	Strobel, John
Hopson, John A.	Strong, George B. Jr.
Howard, Charles	Talbot, Leonard, deserted October
Kay, Joseph S.	19, 1898.
Kelley, Michael H.	Turney, Frank
Kilmer, Frank, deserted Sept. 6, '98.	Washburn, Charles F., deserted Sept.
King, Joseph B.	7, 1898.
Kintell, Albert, transferred to U. S.	Wentworth, William C.
Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.	Young, Albert B.
Lausing, Robert L.	Young, Julius
LaRue Joseph C.	Young, William, transferred to U. S.
Lewis, Chauncy S.	Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Little, Harvey S.	Vance, Robert

ROLL OF K COMPANY.

16th Separate Company of Catskill.

WILLIAM W. BENNETT,	- - - -	Captain
JAMES G. HANNAH,	- - - -	First Lieutenant
CHARLES VROOMAN,	- - - -	Second Lieutenant
Promoted First Lieutenant E Company February 22, 1899.		
WALTER I. LYMAN,	- - - -	Second Lieutenant
Promoted from Sergeant-Major February 22, 1899.		
EDWIN KNOLL,	- - - -	First Sergeant
EDWARD W. MALLORY,	- - - -	Quartermaster-Sergeant

Sergeants.

William Hock.
Michael J. Murphy.
Albert Saulpaugh, Jr.
Robert W. Bowen, appointed from Corporal September 2, 1898.

Corporals.

Paul L. Whitmarsh, transferred to	Fred J. Dewyer.
Non-Com. Staff July 26, 1898.	Frank J. Brooks.
John E. Bassett.	Albertus B. Conklin, app. Aug. 23, '98.
LeRoy Palmer.	Chas. L. Beauchamp, app. Dec. 26, '98
John E. Crowley, app. Aug. 23, '98.	Michael McCarthy, app. Feb. 7, '99.
Paul B. Mattice, app. Sept. 22, '98.	John B. Mattice, app. Mar. 3, '99.
George E. Hewitt, app. Dec. 26, '98.	
Lyman Huntly, app. Feb. 24, '99.	
John W. Losty, app. Mar. 3, '99.	
Eugene A. Chilson, Musician.	Ray Goodfellow, Musician.
George H. Osterhout, Artificer.	John Mahar, Wagoner.

Privates.

Ames, Charles E., deserted Nov. 14, 1898.	Johnson, Jacob
Allen, Clarence J., deserted Nov. 11, 1898.	Judd, Joseph N.
Biglow, Fred	Kosh, Paul
Biglow, Joseph	Legg, Fred C.
Baker, Melvin L.	Long, George M.
Burns, James J.	McCall, John T.
Burnes, William E.	Marks, William H., deserted Sept. 1, 1898.
Barber, Roscoe	Miller, Peter
Bell, Wallace J.	Myers, Arthur
Beesmer, Stephen B., discharged Feb. 9, 1899.	Mason, George H.
Clark, Andrew, discharged Oct. 29, 1898.	Madigan, Michael
Caffery, Edward	Madigan, Patrick
Caspen, William E., deserted January 5, 1899.	McNary, John
Cleary, John	Morrison, George A.
Connelly, Michael T., discharged Mar. 9, 1899.	Marshall, Thomas
Cole, Norman	Newman, Robert
Cragill, Augustus, died Sept. 16, '98.	Norton, Frank
Calman, Edward	O'Brien, Joseph W., died Sept. 19, 1898.
Casey, Bernard	Oringer, Clyde
Carpenter, Charles H.	Patterson, Henry, deserted Sept. 1, 1898.
Diefendorf, Cubb R.	Phillips, George M.
Distin, Harry L.	Phillips, Thomas J.
Dwyer, William E.	Palmer, Arthur D.
Ellis, Joseph	Rutz, Adam
Flynn, John E.	Rowan, Frank T.
Fitzgerald, James T.	Reardon, James J.
Fitzgerald, John B.	Ross, Neil
Fitzgerald, Michael	Rury, William, deserted Oct. 17, '98.
Fritzen, John B., Jr.	Sullivan, James
Foote, William L.	Son, James A., Jr.
Garrison, Wesley E.	Sherman, Frank C., deserted October 17, 1898.
Guthrie, Albert E.	Shearer, William
Granger, Christopher	Towne, George W., deserted October 22, 1898.
Hartnett, Dennis E.	Van Tassell, Ralph, deserted Sept. 1, 1898.
Hathaway, Robert H.	Vrooman, Norman J., transferred to U. S. Hosp. Corps, Aug. 22, 1898.
Harvey, Frank M.	Webster, John
Higgins, Alfred, deserted Sept. 1, '98.	Welch, Michael T.
Holbrook, Charles E.	Wilber, Charles E.
Hood, George H.	Wood, George M.
Hughes, Frank D.	Wood, William
Hunmfrey, William	
Ish, George W., discharged Feb. 18, 1899.	

ROLL OF L COMPANY.

GEORGE N. CHENEY, - - - - - - - Captain
DEXTER STURGES, - - - - - - - First Lieutenant
AUSTIN J. McMAHON, - - - - - - - Second Lieutenant
ANTON H. SCHROETER, - - - - - - - First Sergeant
 Commissioned Second Lieutenant and assigned to E Company Nov. 21.
JOHN D. DRISCOLL, - - - - - - - First Sergeant
 Appointed from Sergeant November 26, 1898.
CHARLES G. ELLIS, - - - - - - - Quartermaster-Sergeant
 Transferred to Non-Com. Staff September 15, 1898.
JEREMIAH J. MURPHY, - - - - - - - Quartermaster-Sergeant
 Appointed from Corporal September 15, 1898.

Sergeants.

Nelson H. Whittemore.
William J. Bealer, appointed from Corporal October 3, 1898.
George M. Andrews, appointed from Corporal December 9, 1898.
Carius C. Weaver, appointed from Corporal March 1, 1899.

Corporals.

Leo W. Card,	Louis Weber, Artificer.
Archie M. Meade, app. Aug. 25, '98.	Luther Potts, transferred to U. S.
Thos. F. Hastings, app. Aug. 25, '98.	Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Edgar D. Phillips, app. Aug. 25, '98.	George Parmalee, app. Aug. 25, '98.
George E. Shaw, app. Dec. 9, '98.	Frank McCulley, app. Sept. 15, '98.
Ernest E. Butterfield, app. Mar. 1.	Frank P. Maloney, app. Dec. 9, '98.
Andrew M. Smith, app. Mar. 1, '99.	Martin Murphy, app. Mar. 1, '99.
Joseph Hall, cook, transferred from	William H. Kemp, app. Mar. 16, '99.
G Company August 6, 1898.	
Ernest Stamm, Musician, transferred	Willis C. Wheeler, Musician.
to Non-Com. Staff July 26, 1898.	
Jacob Cohen, Wagoner.	

Privates.

Alwood, Glen R.
Bates, Claude E.
Beatty, James E.
Besel, Herman
Bishop, George A., discharged Jan.
31, 1899.
Brennan, Henry J.
Bulger, James F.
Bump, Jay R.
Brown, James A.
Card, Harry, Jr.
Carr, Anton, J.
Clements, Hiram
Clift, Clarence R., transferred to U.
S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Cooley, Robert W.
Cortwright, Charles E.
Cumming, Alexander
Depper, Lewis, discharged Feb. 21,
1899.
Deihl, Julius, deserted Sept. 4, '98.
Dingman, Johnson, deserted Aug. 20,
1898.
Dermody, John C.
Easterbrook, Robert E.
Farrell, Michael J.
Flanders, Fred
Fitzgerald, Patrick F.
Ford, George L., deserted Oct. 26,
1898.
Furlong, William J.
Griggs, John J.
Gee, Frank E.
Ham, Bonnie G.
Hess, Michael
Hunt, Richard
Holecomb, Collins
Keeney, Ward J., discharged Nov.
10, 1898.
Knickerbocker, Carl A., deserted Oct.
19, 1898.
Kuhn, Joseph F.
Landers, William K., discharged
Nov. 10, 1898.
Lee, Frank W.
Livingston, Bernard, transferred to
U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Malia, Frank
McGlooin, Martin
McMahon, John
Mead, Archie M.
Melrose, Amiel F.
Millard, Frank H., transferred to U.
S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Miller, John C.
Mitchell, Arthur
Munroe, Alexander G.
Newcomb, William E.
Norton, Neil D.
Parsons, James F., discharged Jan.
31, 1899.
Patchen, Worthy S., discharged Feb.
2, 1899.
Patrick, Andrew
Page, William G., transferred to U.
S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Pierce, Fred D., transferred to U. S.
Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Poultz, Charles
Quinn, Fred
Rand, Thomas R.
Ranne, Frank
Raynsford, Edward W., transferred
to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, '98.
Reimer, Fred
Sanderson, Clarence
Seaman, Alverdo
Smith, Casper, transferred to U. S.
Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Smithem, Palmer, discharged Feb.
1, 1899.
Stokes, Frank, transferred to U. S.
Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Stuart, Harry M.
Sutter, Lester
Spring, Arthur
Sullivan, John L.
Tefft, Samuel
Theis, Philip J.
Towle, Charles L.
Wasmer, Forbes H.
Wallenbeck, William G., transferred
to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Wengstrom, Edward A.
Wilcox, Charles E.
Wilcox, Daniel P.
Williams, Arthur L., transferred to
U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Weight, Guy E., transferred to A
Company July 26, 1898.
Weight, Royal E., transferred to U.
S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.

ROLL OF M COMPANY,

27th Separate Company of Malone.

JAMES A. GRAY,	- - - - -	Captain
PERCIVAL F. DALPHIN,	- - - - -	First Lieutenant
Appointed First Lieutenant and Assistant Surgeon Jan. 12, 1899.		
JOHN M. IRWIN,	- - - - -	First Lieutenant
Promoted from Second Lieutenant F Company Feb. 21, 1899.		
MICHAEL J. COLLINS,	- - - - -	Second Lieutenant
FRED C. NORRIS,	- - - - -	First Sergeant
Promoted Second Lieutenant and assigned to B. Company Oct. 26, '98.		
OSCAR C. SAUNDERS,	- - - - -	First Sergeant
Appointed from Sergeant November 8, 1898.		
JOHN W. HEDDING,	- - - - -	Quartermaster-Sergeant

Sergeants.

Duncan C. Lee, promoted to Second Lieutenant C Company Sept. 4, 1898.
Walter C. Lindsay.
John W. Geneway, appointed from Corporal November 27, 1898.
William B. Hannon, appointed from Corporal January 1, 1899.
Merton D. Wilbur, appointed from Corporal January 1, 1899.

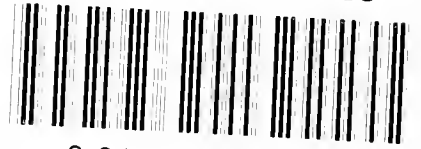
Corporals.

LeRoy W. Hickok, transferred to	Nelson F. McCleary.
Non-Com. Staff Jan. 4, 1899.	John T. Huntington.
Charles B. Ryan.	William F. Gemme, app. Nov. 27, '98.
Fred L. Legnard.	Thaddens C. McInerney, app. Nov.
Arthur D. Wallenbeck, app. Aug. 31,	27.
1898.	Elisha Reeves, app. Jan. 1, '99.
Richard K. Marshall, app. Nov. 27,	Frank E. Monehan, app. Mar. 1, '99.
1898.	John L. Appleton, cook, app. Jan.
Herman F. Pease, app. Jan. 1, '99.	1, 1899.
George S. Yates, app. Mar. 1, '99.	
Lee R. Van Wert, Musician.	Albert A. Tillston, Musician.
Fred Bacon, Artificer.	Martin Hannigan, Wagoner.

Privates.

Allen, Fred H.	Moor, Frank E.
Barry, David	Montague, George B., discharged
Bogardus, Lamont	January 15, 1899.
Burch, Edward E.	Magnire, Joseph W.
Carpenter, Charles H.	Martin, William J.
Coffrin, Henry L.	McCarthy, Charles R.
Conine, Arthur W.	McGough, M.
Connelly, John	McMahon, Thomas A.
Cittenden, William S., Jr.	Mead, Fred E.
Creede, Edward D.	Morgan, W. A., Jr.
Desow, Henry W.	O'Connell, James
Finley, John W.	Perlee, Cyrenus
Graham, Edward J.	Pepin, Arthur L.
Griffin, Patrick J.	Porter, Fred E.
Hodges, Herbert J., transferred to	Price, Sidney B.
U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.	Pugh, Robert J.
Hough, John H., deserted Oct. 30, '98	Reap, Andrew
Jenks, Haviland L., discharged Feb.	Richmond, Frank O., discharged Feb.
4, 1899.	24, 1899.
Johnson, J. Harry	Rhodes, William H.
Kelly, Herbert F.	Robare, Frank G.
King, Arthur W., deserted Sept. 18,	Roby, Martin H.
1898.	Rorrick, Michael A., died Oct. 16, '98.
Knight, Joseph T.	Salisbury, Charles L.
Lattrimorville, F. M.	Saucomb, F. M.
Larkin, James J.	Shune, William, transferred to U. S.
Letts, Charles F.	Hosp. Corps Aug. 26, 1898.
Loehr, Floyd J.	Small, Daniel O.
McCoy, Ernest A., discharged Feb.	Stedje, Jacob, Jr.
6, 1899.	Strong, Harry W.
Maila, William H., died Sept. 15, '98.	Swartwood, H. S.
McKinney, William R., transferred	Terwilliger, F. A.
to U. S. Hosp. Corps Aug. 22, 1898.	Tillstson, R. J.
Murray, James H.	Timon, George A.
Moses, Will	Tracy, M. T.
MacKnight, H. B.	Tubbs, James A.
Mantah, George J.	Vian, Jacob
Martin, George H., deserted Oct. 30,	Vought, Henry H.
1898.	Whiffen, James E., discharged Jan.
Martin, Dosithe A.	16, 1899.
McDonald, Joseph N.	Williams, Bert L.
McManus, William	Winson, Ralph C.
McSorley, John E.	Wolff, Aaron, deserted Aug. 16, '98.
Metcalf, William	Wright, D. W.

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